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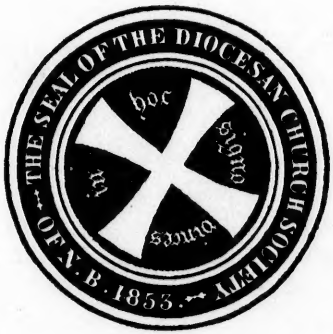

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BEFORE THEY COMMENCE BUSINESS.

PREVENT us, O Lord, in all our doings, with Thy most gracious favour; and further us with Thy continual help; that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in Thee, we may glorify Thy holy name, and finally, by Thy mercy, obtain everlasting life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Amen.

O GOD, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all works of piety and charity do proceed, we beseech Thee to visit with Thy favour our Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria, and so rule her heart, that she may in all things seek Thy honour and glory. Prosper with Thy blessing the designs of this Society. Comfort with Thy grace those benefactors who contribute to its support. Bless the ministry of Thy servants, the Clergy; the endeavours of all who are engaged in spreading the knowledge of true religion in the dominions of our Sovereign, and the labours of those missionaries who are promoting the same in this Province. And may Thy Holy Spirit direct all our consultations to the advancement of Thy glory, and the good of Thy Church, through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Amen.

O MERCIFUL GOD, who hast made all men, and hatest nothing that Thou hast made, nor wouldest the death of a sinner, but that he should be converted and live: Have mercy upon all Jews, Turks, Infidels, and Heretics, and take from them all ignorance, hardness of heart, and contempt of Thy Word; and so fetch them home, blessed Lord, to Thy flock, that they may be saved among the remnant of the true Israelites, and be made one fold under one Shepherd, Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.—Amen.

OUR FATHER, which art in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever.—Amen.

WHEN THE BUSINESS IS ENDED.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore.—Amen.

CONSTITUTION OF THE SOCIETY.

I.

The Society shall be called the Diocesan Church Society of New Brunswick.

II.

No alteration shall be made in the Constitution of this Society, nor shall any Bye-Law, Rule or Regulation of the Society be repealed, annulled or altered, except at a meeting of the General Committee, by the vote of at least two-thirds of the members present, nor until it shall have received the sanction of the Lord Bishop of the Diocese, which sanction must be given in writing, and delivered to the Secretary within six months of the said Meeting.

III.

No alteration or amendment in the Constitution, nor any repeal, cancellation, alteration or amendment of any Bye-Law, Rule, or Regulation of the Society, shall be proposed or made at any Meeting, unless notice shall have been given in writing at the next previous Anniversary Meeting of such proposed repeal or cancellation, nor unless the terms of such proposed alteration or amendment shall have been stated in writing at such previous Meeting; from which, without the unanimous consent of the members present, no deviation, except of a mere formal nature, shall be permitted.

IV.

No repeal, cancellation, alteration, or amendment, shall be proposed, except by a member qualified to vote at the Anniversary Meeting, whose name shall be entered on the Minutes, by the Secretary, together with the said proposition.

V.

The payment at any one time of a sum not less than Ten Pounds shall constitute a Life Member; and the payment annually of any sum, however small, shall constitute the person paying the same a Member of the Society. Provided that no Member shall be qualified to vote at any General Meeting of the Society, unless of the full age of twenty-one years, nor unless he be a Life Member, or shall have subscribed and paid at least Five Shillings during the year preceding such Meeting.

VI.

(*Officers.*)

1. The Officers of the Society shall be a President, two or more Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, one or more Secretaries, and two Auditors of Accounts.

2. The Lord Bishop of the Diocese shall be the President of the

Society, and the Archdeacon the Senior Vice President; and any Life Member may at any Anniversary Meeting be elected a Vice President of the Society.

3. The Treasurer, Secretary or Secretaries, and the Auditors, shall be annually elected at the Anniversary Meeting; and in case of the death, resignation, or removal from the Province, of any such Officer, the vacancy shall be filled up by the Executive Committee, at its next or any subsequent Meeting within the year; and the Lord Bishop shall, if he see fit, call a Special Meeting of the Executive Committee for the purpose of filling any such vacancy.

VII.

(*Executive Committee.*)

1. There shall be also an Executive Committee, to be composed of the following Members, viz.:

The Officers of the Society as provided for in the next preceding Article.

All Clergymen resident in the Diocese, duly licensed by the Lord Bishop, and Subscribers to the Society.

And twenty-four Lay Members of the Society, being Life Members, or Annual Subscribers of at least One Pound; to be annually elected at the Anniversary Meeting, provided that no Annual Subscriber shall be qualified to be elected, unless he shall during the year preceding each Meeting have paid his subscription of at least One Pound.

2. Five Members of the Executive Committee, three of whom to be Laymen, shall form a Quorum.

3. The Executive Committee shall meet either at Fredericton or Saint John on the first Wednesday in January, on the day next following the Annual Meeting, on the first Wednesday in March, on the first Wednesday in June, and on Wednesday after the first Tuesday in October.

VIII.

(*Objects.*)

The Society shall embrace the following objects, and none other, viz.:

1. Missionary Visits to places where there is no settled Clergyman, and aid to new and poor Missions.

2. The establishment of Divinity Scholarships at King's College, Fredericton; and assistance, where necessary, to those who may be under preparation for the Ministry, especially Sons of Clergymen.

3. Aid to Sunday and other Schools in which Church principles are taught, and the training and encouraging of Schoolmasters and Catechists.

4. The supply of such Books and Tracts as are on the Catalogue of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, and none other.

5. Aid to the building and enlarging of Churches and Chapels.

6. Aid to the building of Parsonage Houses.

7. The creation of a fund towards the augmentation of the stipends of Clergymen who are poor; and towards the education of the Children of such Clergymen; and towards the making a provision for those who may be incapacitated by age or infirmity.

8. The creation of a Fund for the Widows and Orphans of the Clergy.

IX.

The Society will employ no Clergyman on Missionary services without the Bishop's license and appointment, and will submit its choice of Divinity Scholarships to his Lordship's approbation.

X.

It shall be competent to any Member of the Society to limit his subscription to any one or more of the objects above recited, which he may be most anxious to promote.

XI.

(*Local Committee.*)

1. The Members of the Society in each Parish, or in each Mission, consisting of two or more Parishes, shall at the discretion of the Missionary of such Mission, constitute a Local Committee; and so also the Members residing in any District of a Parish set off under the authority of the Lord Bishop, with the concurrence of the Rector and Church Corporation of such Parish (there being in such District a Church duly consecrated and a resident Clergyman licensed thereto by the Lord Bishop), may at the desire of such Clergyman, and with the approval of the Bishop and the Rector of the Parish, form a separate Local Committee; and in that case the District shall for the purpose of the Society, be considered as a separate Parish.

2. Each Local Committee shall hold an Annual Meeting, on some convenient day, previous to the Anniversary Meeting, when the recommendation to the General Committee of special objects shall be determined on.

3. Each Local Committee shall be empowered to depute two Lay Members of the Society to be elected at the Annual Meeting of the Committee, to assist the Missionary in submitting the recommendations of the Committee to the consideration of the General Committee

4. It shall be competent to each Committee to recommend any of the above recited objects to the special consideration of the General Committee, in the appropriation of the funds of the Society.

XII.

1. The Society shall hold its Anniversary Meeting at Fredericton and Saint John alternately; at the latter place on the Thursday after the third Tuesday in January, and at the former place on the Thursday after the second Tuesday in February in each year.

2. A Special General Meeting may be called at any time by the President, or in his absence, by any two or more of the Vice Presidents, four weeks notice being first given thereof by advertisement in one or more newspapers, published in Fredericton and Saint John respectively.

XIII.

(*The General Committee.*)

1. The General Committee of the Society shall be composed of the following Members, viz.: The Lord Bishop of the Diocese, who shall be the Chairman; but in the absence of the Lord Bishop the Committee may elect a Chairman, the Secretary or Secretaries who shall also serve in that capacity at the Meetings of the General Committee, the Treasurer and the Auditors, the Rector or Missionary of each Parish, or of a Mission comprising two or more Parishes, and the Clergyman of any separate District of a Parish. Provided that in the absence or sickness of the Rector of any Parish, the duly licensed Curate or Assistant Minister shall be considered *pro hac vice* a Member of the General Committee, and the Lay Deputies elected by the Local Committees as before provided; all such persons being Subscribers to the Society.

Proof of the election of such Deputies by each Local Committee to be the Certificate of the Chairman or Secretary thereof.

2. The General Committee shall meet on the two days next previous to the Anniversary Meeting to make the Annual appropriation of the funds of the Society; and a Report of the proceedings of such Meeting shall be made at the Anniversary Meeting.

3. The Order of Business in General Committee shall be as follows:

Firstly. Production of Certificates of Lay Deputies.

Secondly. Secretary's Report to be read, and also a Report of the proceedings of the Executive Committee for the past year.

Thirdly. Report of the Auditors to be read and laid before the General Committee.

Fourthly. Such appropriations or disposition of the funds to the objects of the Society as a majority of those present may determine.

XIV.

The Clergy are requested to preach annually two Sermons in their respective Churches, with a collection on each occasion for the General Purposes of the Society.

REPORT.

The review of the past year affords much encouragement to the members of this Society. The contributions have considerably increased, and zeal, unanimity, and kind feeling have marked all its proceedings. The addresses delivered at the last anniversary meeting, held in St. John, bear witness to the manner in which our work is regarded in that important section of the Diocese.

Certain amendments in the Constitution were unanimously adopted at the last meeting of the General Committee, and except the time for holding the annual meetings, that subject would now appear to be arranged to the general satisfaction of the Society.

Acting upon the conviction, that provision for Missionaries to be sent to places destitute of the means of grace, was of primary importance, the General Committee at its last meeting confined the appropriations almost exclusively to that object. This course, under the present circumstances of the Diocese, seemed most likely to commend itself to the approval of the Society; at the same time, it was much regretted that grants to other objects, especially to aid in the erection of churches, were of necessity, for the past year, withheld.

It will be most gratifying to the Society to learn, that its missionary work appears to have been blessed with more than usual success during the past year. The Lord Bishop has been able to fill up the vacant missions of Bathurst, and Harvey and Hopewell in the County of Albert, by transferring the assistant Missionaries at Nelson and Woodstock to these parishes. It will be seen, in the Report, that the latter missions have been well supplied by two clergymen ordained by his Lordship since the last meeting of the Society.

By the removal from this Diocese to that of Toronto, of the assistant minister at St. Stephen, that post is vacant.* Its duties have been, for a time, most kindly performed by the Rev. G. W. Durell, a clergyman of the Episcopal Church of the United States stationed at Calais.

The Society will be grieved to learn, that the Rev. C. G. Wiggins, who was in charge of Greenwich and Petersville, has been obliged for the present to lay aside his work. The

* Since the above was in type, the Rev. H. Pollard, of St. Augustine's College, has been ordained by the Lord Bishop, and has assumed the duties of Curate of St. Stephen.

strength of this zealous clergyman seems to have been overtasked by the duties of an extensive mission. It is to be hoped that rest for a while in a milder climate will, by God's blessing, aid in restoring him to health.

Exact and regular returns have been furnished by the Missionaries to whose support this Society contributes. From these we gain much valuable statistical information. The Society can perceive the condition of the field of labour at present occupied, and may learn henceforth, year by year, what is gained through the regular ministrations of the Church. Thus we find that, previous to the present meeting of the General Committee, there were nineteen Missions, several of great extent, which, but for the aid furnished by this Society, would be destitute of the appointed means of grace. Comprised in these, are no less than thirty-eight churches, and about fifty other stations, where Divine service, at regular periods, is performed.

It is well known, however, that the most effectual part of the labour of the Missionary must be hid from public view. There is ever going on, in those different missions, the frequent visitation from house to house, to the afflicted, the sick and the dying, the private admonition, the timely warning, by which sometimes a course of wickedness is arrested; and all those other offices of love which belong to the holy function of the ambassadors for Christ. Now this may be considered in addition to all that is stated in the reports, and fill our hearts with gratitude to God for permitting us to do this for the good of our fellow creatures and for the glory of His holy name.

The following abstract from the Reports of the Missionaries and of the various Local Committees, will be read with more than usual interest.

Andover and Grand Falls.—Rev. S. J. Hanford, on behalf of this Mission, thanks the Society for the grant of books and tracts, and wishes to be remembered in the same way this year. He is happy to report, notwithstanding the scarcity of money, an increased amount of contributions to the Society. "I may also here," he writes, "take the opportunity to mention a bequest of £50, made last year by a deceased member of the Church at Grand Falls to the Church at that place. I do not give the name of the party in a simple matter of duty, but the notice of such facts may remind others that they may 'go and do likewise.'"

Contributions: Divinity Scholarships, £4 10s.; General Purposes, £18 13s. 2d.; total, £23 3s. 2d.

Blackville and Nelson.—Rev. Wm. Cruden has only been six months in charge of this Mission, and has forwarded £20 13s. 3d. as contributions to the Society, including a donation of one pound from himself towards a grant for books for a Lending Library. This object Mr. Cruden considers it most necessary to promote, especially under the peculiar circumstances of his mission.

At a meeting of this Local Committee, the following Resolutions were passed:—

1. "That we gratefully thank Almighty God for having so far blessed the labours of the Diocesan Church Society; and trust that notwithstanding the great pressure of the times, the returns of the Society will shew a large increase over those of former years."

2. "That while we return thanks to the Society for the grant of books and tracts to these parishes, we trust that the Society, in the next appropriation, will be enabled to increase this grant, for the purpose of establishing a parochial lending library, the want of which is very much felt, on account of the difficulty of obtaining books suitable for religious instruction."

Mr. Cruden writes—"I was very much gratified to find such a lively interest evinced by my parishioners for the welfare of the Society, when I explained to them the objects it had in view. The greatest proof of their good will is the amount of subscriptions and collections which I have been able to obtain during my six months' labours among them. These labours require to be unceasing, to enlighten the minds of those who would otherwise be led into error. I shall always feel the greatest pleasure in using my best endeavours to forward the interests of the Society, and also the spiritual welfare of the people committed to my charge."

Bathurst.—This important mission, which had been for some time vacant, has been in charge of the Rev. C. F. Street since the month of July last. A Local Committee has been formed, which met on the 21st Dec., when resolutions were passed expressive of approbation of the benefits conferred by the Diocesan Church Society, in supplying that support to this mission which had been withdrawn by the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

The Committee resolved to use their best endeavours for the promotion of the Society, by which other destitute places in the Diocese may be blessed with the ministrations of the Church, and the circulation of sound religious books and tracts. They return thanks for the books obtained through the kindness of the Lord Bishop, and recommend a further grant for the Sunday-school at Bathurst, and for distribution in the several stations in the mission.

Mr. Street writes with regard to the mission as follows—"I entered upon my present duties on the 12th July, 1857. The mission comprehends an extensive tract of country, affording a large and laborious field of labour. There is every variety of scenery to delight the eye, the tempestuous and mighty waters of the ocean, the rocky or sandy coast, and the rapid or gentle waters of four or five rivers flowing into a bay 100 miles in length. There is an invigorating climate to give a sound body to a sound mind; and above all, there are many, very many, fellow creatures scattered throughout the mission, who respect the ministerial office, are strongly attached to the Anglican Church, and bestow upon the Missionary every attention and hospitality. There is but one drawback to his satisfaction, viz., the work being too great for one person's strength—the vineyard is too extensive for one labourer.

"Members of the Church are scattered over the whole country on the New-Brunswick side of the Bay de Chaleur. There are about 68 families in and about the neighborhood of Bathurst, 84 in New Bandon, about 26 families at Salmon Beach, a settlement lying between New Bandon and Bathurst. There are a few families, members of the Church, in the French settlements of Caraquet, Pugmouche, Shippegan, Point Miscoe, and Tracadie, who require occasional visits.

"The Missionary at Bathurst has also to travel up the Bay de Chaleur 40 miles, and up the Restigouche 25 miles, before he completes his tour. Between Bathurst and Dalhousie there are two stations, which might be benefited by occasional services. In Dalhousie there are about 15 families members of the Church, and further up the Restigouche 5 or 6. The

county of Restigouche presents a discouraging field for a clergyman of the Church, the inhabitants generally being attached to other communions. There are, however, many who long for a resident Missionary, more especially as there is a chapel now nearly completed.

"The people throughout the mission generally are dependant upon their farms for support. But they are desirous to do what they can (though far less than is required) to defray the necessary expenses of a clergyman. There are but two churches in the mission besides the one nearly finished at Dalhousie. They require much repair. That at Bathurst is in such a state that it must soon be replaced by a new one. At Salmon Beach a church is much needed, and aid in the work is requested from the Society.

"During my short residence in this mission, I have had much encouragement and much assurance of a good prospect for the future."

Contributions amount to £16 2s. 6d.; and books have been sold for the Fredericton Depository to the sum of £2 4s.

Cambridge.—Rev. A. Wood has the pleasure of reporting, that he has called the attention of his parishioners to the importance and usefulness of the Diocesan Church Society; and has obtained a small but cheerfully bestowed sum, amounting to £8 1s. 9d., of which 3s. was limited to the Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

Campobello.—Rev. J. S. Williams reports £13 15s. as the amount of contributions from this parish during the past year. Five persons have been confirmed, and five added to the list of communicants. The amount contributed towards the support of the clergyman, as well as that forwarded to the Society, is smaller than last year. This may be traced to the depression in business among the islanders, who are almost without exception dependant on the fisheries for their support.

Carleton.—Rev. F. Coster has collected £8 16s. 6d. for the Society, and has the promise of receiving still more.

Chatham.—Rev. Samuel Bacon reports that the following resolutions were passed at the annual meeting of this Committee:—

1. "That they continue to entertain the deepest conviction of the vital importance of the Diocesan Church Society for the very existence of the Colonial Church; which therefore demands the fervent prayers and munificent contributions of every faithful member of her communion."

In another resolution the Committee most strongly recommend the Society to grant some aid towards the completion of the church at Dalhousie; and they also urge the propriety of establishing in that section of the Diocese a depository for Bibles, Prayer-books, and other publications of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge; a recommendation concurred in by all the clergy present at a meeting of the Rural Chapter of Chatham, held on the 7th Oct. last.

Contributions are—for Churches and Chapels, £26 5s. 7d.; General Purposes, £6 2s.; total, £32 3s.

Douglas.—Rev. G. Goodridge Roberts writes—"I hope and think that, by God's blessing, the Church has made some progress in this mission since I last wrote to you; and though it certainly falls somewhat short of what my ardour and inexperience then led me to anticipate, yet I trust I am thankful, and that not without reason, to the Father of mercies, for the measure of success which He has vouchsafed.

"I have baptized but two adults during the past year, one of whom has since gone to Him under whose banner he then enlisted; the other, having received confirmation, has become a constant, and I trust, consistent communicant.

"On the 17th and 18th of August last, the Lord Bishop confirmed 27 candidates in the middle and upper churches of this parish. Of this number,

I am happy to say, about twenty have already become partakers of the Lord's Supper; and I have reason to believe, that there are few, if any, of the remaining seven, who are not desirous of enjoying the same blessed privilege. The number of communicants has, I think, more than doubled during the year. I have now sixty-eight upon the list. May God give them all grace to adorn the profession they have made, by living godly, righteous, and sober lives, to the glory of His holy name.

"The congregations continue undiminished, both in churches and stations; and a commodious shed for the horses having been erected at the stone church, I am in hopes that even fewer than before will be kept at home by the storms of winter.

"Sunday schools were held during the summer at the upper and stone churches, though the distances from which the children have to come to the former, and the teachers to the latter, have been very great drawbacks to their success. Still, I look forward to a gradual and steady improvement, through the blessing of the Almighty, as the parents become more and more awakened to a sense of their duty towards the souls of their children.

"The interest of the people in this mission in the Diocesan Church Society continues unabated, as I trust the subscription list will testify. These are certainly hard times for many; but I hope the Society will not suffer for that cause. Surely our contributions towards the advancement of Christ's kingdom upon earth are the very last part of our expenditure which we should think it necessary to retrench.

"At the annual meeting of our Local Committee, resolutions were passed expressive of gratitude to the Society for past help, and asking for additional assistance this year. Especially, also, I would request a grant of books for settlement at Tay Creek."

Contributions amount to £24 10s. 8d.

Fredericton.—At a meeting of this Committee, held on the 13th January, the Ven. the Archdeacon in the chair, it was reported that the contributions would exceed, to a considerable amount, any heretofore made to the Society, This, considering the many hindrances at the present time, and the calls upon the members of the Church for other purposes, was received as a cheering proof of increasing zeal and liberality.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

"That in consideration of the present state of the Diocese with regard to its missionary work, this Committee approves of the course adopted by the General Committee at its last meeting, in making the missionary operations of the Society its first consideration, and recommends a similar course in future. *And further Resolved*, That in the opinion of this meeting, the Book Depositories have been productive of much good, and their continued maintenance on the most effective footing is strongly recommended."

Contributions amount to £219 9s. 10d.

Gagetown.—Rev. N. A. Coster reports contributions to the amount of £3 12s. 4d.

Glenelg, Newcastle, and the Settlements on the South West Branch of the Miramichi.—The Rev. J. Hudson, visiting Missionary, writes, that "sickness and other changes and chances," prevented him from assembling his people at Glenelg until the 23d instant, when the Local Committee met, and passed a resolution, again affirming "it to be the solemn duty of all true-hearted Churchmen to assist by their liberal offerings in promoting the great and holy objects now embraced by the Diocesan Church Society; and trusting that its members would long continue to work happily together in the accomplishment of the same." At this meeting it was also resolved to ask the Society for aid towards repairing the little church of the parish.

"The Society is doubtless aware," continues Mr. Hudson, "that the Rev. W. Cruden, a graduate of Trinity College, Toronto, has been appointed to the curacy of Nelson and Blackville, 'ground almost fallow,' nearly 34 miles in extent, and lately occupied by the Rev. C. F. Street, who is now in charge at Bathurst, New Bandon, and other settlements on the Bay de Chaleur. With Mr. Cruden's cheerfully given assistance, the church at Newcastle has been open for Divine worship almost every Sunday for some time past; while the Churchmen at Point Escuminac (40 miles from Mr. Hudson's present home), and the little flocks at Ludlow and Boiestown (distant 60 or 70 miles from the same spot), have also had the benefit of this missionary's occasional services.

"From the foregoing brief statement, the Society will at once perceive how necessary it is, that three clergymen at least should be stationed in this extensive county, if the Church of England is to "hold her own;" and more than this she hopes to do even here, with God's blessing, and the hearty co-operation of her faithful sons and daughters."

The visiting missionary adds, that it is a matter of gratification to him, in being able to state, that notwithstanding the unexampled hardness of the times, there has been a considerable increase in the offerings lately remitted to the Society from his really poor district. These contributions (exclusive of those sent by the Rev. Messrs. Street and Cruden) are as follows:—Point Escuminac, £1 7s. 7d.; Glenelg, £6 4s. 7d.; Newcastle, £12 5s. 1d.; Northesk, 19s. 7d.; Blissfield, 13s. 2d.; Ludlow, £2 15s. 7d.; Boistown, £1 12s. 1d.; offerings after churchings, 7s. 1d.; sale of Church books, £2 14s. 9d.; total, £28 19s. 6d.

Grand Manan.—The Rev. G. T. Carey has forwarded £5 from this mission.

Greenwich and Petersville.—W. B. M'Keel, Esq., in the absence of the Rev. C. G. Wiggins, has enclosed the sum of £16 7s. 6d. from the parish of Greenwich, which, he is happy to say, exceeds the contributions of any former year.

Dr. Bayard has enclosed his subscription of £1 for the past year.

Hampton.—Rev. W. W. Walker writes, "The present is the only season when, with any prospect of success, we can ask for contri'utions; and if the proposed change takes place, and the meetings of the Society occur in the summer, I fear we who live in the country, shall in vain ask for aid to the funds. The interest hitherto manifested in the success of the Society is by no means diminished, as the following resolution will shew—

"That this Committee desires to record its heartfelt satisfaction at the success which attends the operations of the Diocesan Church Society, and its continued interest in its welfare."

Contributions £32 3s. 10d.

Harvey and Hopewell.—Rev. Henry B. Nichols having resigned the curacy of Woodstock in June last, was at once appointed by the Bishop to take charge of this mission, the duties of which he assumed in the month of July. Mr. Nichols mentions with expressions of gratitude the very kind feeling manifested by the people at Woodstock, who presented him with an address and a handsome present on his departure.

In his new mission he found but few families members of the Church of England. These, however, were much attached to their church, and required to have its services resumed. During the summer and autumn he arranged to have Divine service in four places, in each once a fortnight, morning and evening alternately. One of them was held at the Coal Mines, which has been, for the present, discontinued, most of the workmen having left at the beginning of winter; and a service is performed at Hopewell Corner instead. He also holds a service at Salmon River, 20

miles distant, once a month on a week-day, where there are a few warm-hearted Churchmen. He reckons the number of families in communion with the Church as 27; adults, 72; children, 58; total, 129.

"Great part of the congregation," Mr. Nichols writes, "is composed of those who differ from us on many points; yet they evince a readiness to hear the gospel from a missionary of our branch of the church of Christ, and even to contribute towards his support, and to Church objects in general. It would indeed be more gratifying to have around me more members of our communion; yet besides those who are such, I remember that all are brethren, 'for whom Christ died,' and I endeavour to do them good. If I do my duty in this small sphere allotted me, I still hope for my reward.

"We had a very interesting service during the summer at the Hill. Ten children, from 13 years and under, were admitted, at one time, into the Church by baptism. A large number of anabaptists were present on the occasion, and I hope the solemn sight will have an influence for good."

The meeting of the Local Committee was an interesting one, and well attended. Resolutions were passed unanimously, expressive of attachment to the Society, and of a pledge to renewed exertions in its behalf; urging a change in the time of holding the annual meetings; requesting a re-appropriation of the grants to the churches and to the parsonage in this mission; and also asking for another grant of books, from which great benefit is derived. It was at the same time, resolved to proceed with the erection of the church at Hopewell, during the present year. Local subscriptions to this object are at present, £47 12s. 6d.; and for the church at Harvey, £14 10s.

The contributions to the Society amount to £12 10s. 9d.

Howard Settlement, Canterbury.—A long list of subscribers has been forwarded by the Rev. J. Hartin, amounting in all to £8 5s. 2d.

"I desire," he writes, "to express my most sincere thanks to the Society for the grant of £30 in support of this mission, and for the books. In addition to my labours in the Howard Settlement, Divine service is performed on the first Sunday in every month at Eel River, and also at the M'Illroy Settlements. I also pay an occasional visit to some of the more remote settlements along the river. I have 4 stations (exclusive of my visits as missionary to the labourers on the St. Andrews and Quebec Railroad, to whom a portion of my time is still devoted), at which Divine service is performed. The congregations are not large, especially in the winter months, when many are engaged in lumbering operations. The people are so scattered, that it is quite impracticable to have services during the week. There are more than 800 men in different parties, employed on the Railroad, and many more expected early in the spring. I earnestly solicit a grant of prayer-books and tracts for distribution among them."

Kingsclear.—Rev. J. Black has enclosed returns from this Committee, shewing contributions amounting to £16 11s. 4d.

Kingston.—Rev. W. E. Scovil writes, "I have not been able to raise as much as last year, owing to the heavy demands made upon my people for their own churches. The chapel at White's Point has been repaired; but the chief expenditure during the past year has been occasioned by enlarging and improving the parish church of Kingston, which being the oldest in the Province, has now, at an outlay of some £900, been fitted for its holy work for another lengthened period of time. The parish has had very little assistance from without. A committee was appointed last spring, who, on the faith of liberal subscriptions, made within its own limits, became personally responsible to the workmen; so that the edifice, which is now all completed but the steeple, is left altogether free of debt.

"Under these circumstances, I trust we shall not, on account of the present deficiency, be thought to have withheld too much of our means from the funds of the excellent Diocesan Church Society, in whose welfare every

Churchman in the Province ought confessedly to feel unabated interest." Subscriptions and collections amount to £25.

LANCASTER.—Rev. G. Bedell has enclosed returns, shewing amount contributed for the general purposes of the Society, £25 9s. 5d. He writes as follows:—

"At the Lord Bishop's visitation in July last 26 persons were confirmed, one of whom was an aged man, who was baptized, confirmed, and admitted to the holy communion on the same day. Two other of the candidates for confirmation were baptized on the same day. Seven confirmants communicated for the first time. Three has previously been communicants. I have ministered at the bed-side of three dying persons, all young, respectively æt 17, 18, and 23. Ministrations to the sick are required, and performed almost daily. There have, during the year, been 4 burials and 5 marriages.

"Though feeling, in common with the rest of the Diocese, the pressure in the monetary department, improvements have been and are being made in our church buildings. During the past year, my parish, in other respects, has, with God's blessing, made progress in support of the Church, and with humility and thankfulness, I trust the parishioners are advancing in the knowledge of those things which belong to their everlasting peace."

MAUGERVILLE AND BURTON.—Rev. A. V. G. Wiggins, D. D., is sorry to report a smaller amount of contributions than formerly; but under the circumstances it is really larger than he anticipated. "When it is considered," Dr. Wiggins writes, "that we have still a considerable sum to raise to pay off the debt on the Maugerville church, and that we are preparing to commence a new one in Burton next spring, towards the erection of which £560 has been already subscribed, and take into account the scarcity of money, I trust the Society will not regard the falling off of our contributions as an indication of a want of zeal in the good cause."

Contributions for Burton, £11 11s. 7½d.; for Maugerville, £6 0s. 8½d.; total, £17 12s. 4d.

MONCTON.—Rev. W. N. Boyer has enclosed a list of subscribers amounting to £5 10s. 1d., and says that the falling off in the amount, compared with that of last year, is owing to removal of parties who then contributed.

"The number of Church people," Mr. Boyer writes, "is small, and they have done to the utmost of their power. The times here, as elsewhere, in regard to money matters, are very gloomy. And another reason: my parishioners have been called upon to expend in a fence around the church, and towards the completion of the parsonage, the sum of £50. In all this they have to depend on voluntary contributions. I trust this will be taken into favourable consideration by the Society. I can testify to the grateful feelings of my parishioners towards it."

During the past year the services of the church have been largely attended, and the congregations attentive and devout.

NEW MARYLAND.—The expense of maintaining this small mission has, for several years past, been in part defrayed by an allowance of £20 from the funds of the Society. By this means the people have had the regular performance of Divine service on Sundays, besides frequent visits at their own houses during the week. The number of families professedly in connection with the Church does not exceed 13. Among them there are many young people growing up, who seem attentive to their religious duties; some of whom, it is trusted, will reward the missionary by becoming consistent members of the Church.

The contributions to the Society are £7 2s. 6d.

NORTON.—Rev. E. A. Warneford reports the amount of contributions from this Committee as larger than last year, which, he writes, speaks well for his parishioners, considering the many expenses they have had to meet.

But may their zeal, he adds, for the welfare of the Society prompt them to give yet more and more.

At the meeting of the Local Committee, the following resolution was passed:

"Whereas the parsonage house in this parish was destroyed by fire during last winter in the Rector's absence, who was attending the meeting of the Diocesan Church Society in St. John; and although aided by our fellow-Churchmen in the adjoining parishes and elsewhere, we still find ourselves unable to meet the expenses of erecting and finishing the new parsonage. *Therefore Resolved*, That the Diocesan Church Society be earnestly petitioned to grant us aid in finishing the house now in course of erection."

The Committee also thank the Society for the grant of books, and hope to be remembered in the same way this year.

Contributions are £23 12s. 2d.

Prince William, Dumfries, Magundy, &c.—Rev. Philip Wood Loosemore reports the sum of £24 8s. for the general purposes of the Society; and he writes as follows:—

"I gladly send you a few particulars of our endeavours during the past year, to carry out in this part of the Diocese the great object the Society has in view; and I do so the more cheerfully, because there has been manifested by those among whom it is my privilege to labour, a marked willingness to 'honour the Lord with their substance, and with the first-fruits of all their increase,' of which I trust you will consider the accompanying list of subscribers a tangible and sufficient proof. No words of mine are necessary to prove to the Society that there is a goodly number in this mission desirous of enjoying 'the means of grace,' and the ordinances of a pure Church, as afforded by the agency of the Diocesan Church Society of New Brunswick. With regard to the amount contributed, it may be stated, that the sum is equal to that raised last year, though now the book account is excluded, and the same sum realized by the addition of 38 new subscribers. The book account for the year amounts to £12. Bibles, Prayer-books, and tracts having been sold and distributed.

"A confirmation was held in this mission by the Lord Bishop in September last. Much information on this subject will doubtless find its way to the Report from other sources. I will merely mention one fact of special interest. A veteran of well nigh four-score and ten years, a venerable old man of 89, his two children, and his five grandchildren, knelt together to receive the 'blessing of God's ministering servant.' This patriarch left 'the old country' without any opportunity of receiving the rite of confirmation, and therefore was glad to avail himself of the earliest occasion which offered. It will be evident that there was some reality in this good man's conduct, when it is known that he is a regular attendant at church, and a constant communicant; that he attends the Sunday service at one settlement, and the week-day service at another, and walks three miles each way to be present—a noble example to younger and more active limbs. The whole number confirmed was 59, who will, we hope, increase the number of communicants—an increase greatly needed and repeatedly enforced.

"Having three churches in which Sunday service must be held, I find it necessary to hold service on Wednesdays, at a populous settlement in the woods, where throughout the year the average attendance is 40; and, as an evidence to the supporters of the Society of the usefulness of stated and regular services, which their aid will enable their missionaries to maintain, I beg to present a brief history of the rise and progress of that particular service, held once a fortnight on Wednesday mornings. When the service of the Church was commenced there, the clergyman waited in vain for the usual response which belongs to the people. In due time, however, by the repeated sale of prayer-books, which were eagerly purchased, the

voices of the people were heard, at first somewhat feebly, but in course of time audibly and heartily. And now, to the credit of many who have taken pains to carry out St. Paul's principle of doing 'all things decently and in order,' Divine service is there celebrated in a manner more worthy of His acceptance, in whose name our assemblies met.

"In the mission there are two Sunday schools. In one of them children assemble regularly every Sunday, though the average attendance is small. During the past year another school has been established at Magundy, by the kind assistance of the church-warden residing there, at which the average attendance is 20.

"It is observable that there are few opportunities of visiting the sick in this mission. Of 616 parochial visits, only 16 were to sick persons. This speaks well for the salubrity of the climate in this part of the Diocese.

"I may here remark, that on the fast-day lately appointed, we had service in each of the three churches, and a collection in aid of the 'Indian Relief Fund,' which amounted on the whole to £5.

"In conclusion, it may be added, that this must be considered as a record of continued good-will from those for whose 'souls' we are appointed to 'watch;' and that if there has been necessarily much to discourage, there has been much more to animate and encourage, and that a new year is propitiously begun."

Portland.—Rev. W. Harrison is happy to inform the Society, that the sum of £42 has been collected in this parish for the general purposes of the Society.

Portland, St. Paul's.—Rev. Charles Lee reports contributions to the amount of £75 11s. 3d.

Queensbury.—Rev. H. W. Tippett reports contributions amounting to £11 12s. 2d., a small advance over the past year, which, he trusts, will go on increasing.

"In reference to this mission," Mr. Tippett writes, "I have not much to say; but my own state of feeling is one of hope and encouragement.

"My people are surrounded by dissent, and so much scattered, that though a small number altogether, I am obliged to occupy six stations to serve them. Of these, three are served once a fortnight, and two once a month, and the fifth about once every two months. At two of them I administer the holy communion monthly, and at another we have begun the building of a church, which we hope to complete, or nearly so, during the current year.

"I cannot report any increase in the number of Church members during the past year; four children have been baptized, and there are about 30 communicants.

"I have the prospect of an English settlement being formed, during the year, within the mission, of about twenty families. Many of them will probably be members of the Church, and I should be glad to be near enough to take them under my pastoral charge."

St. David.—Rev. J. S. Thomson reports contributions from St. David, £10, and the like sum from St. Patrick, in all £20. "This will shew," he writes, "the affection of my people for the objects of the Society.

"Our church continues to be attended by a congregation of, I hope, devout and certainly attentive worshippers, in number according to the season and weather, from 10 or 20 to 150 and upwards. There are 50 communicants in the parish. I am constantly losing some by death or emigration. There is now lying in my near neighborhood the remains of a lovely and most interesting girl, awaiting burial, whom I baptized on her deathbed; and I humbly trust, that the solemn, mournful, and yet most cheering event, may be blessed to me, the family, and the neighborhood.

"The church, which continues free, is a great comfort to us, and an orna-

ment to the village. My constant thanks are offered to the throne of grace for all the kind aid I have received in the Province and in the United States. To my brethren both clerical and lay of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, I owe an unspeakable debt of gratitude."

Richibucto.—Rev. James Neales reports the sum of £35 15s. for the general purposes of the Society. He writes, that the want of employment among the labouring part of his congregation, has alone hindered him from forwarding a larger amount.

Sackville and Dorchester.—Rev. T. N. Dewolf has enclosed a subscription list from Sackville amounting to £13 10s. 6d., and from Dorchester, £13 10s. 3d., total, £27 0s. 9d., for the general purposes of the Society.

St. Andrews.—Rev. J. Alley, D. D., writes, "Herewith you will receive £32 6s. 5d., the amount of subscriptions in this parish for the Diocesan Church Society. I am sorry the amount is not greater; but I assure you, that the sums given have fallen far short of the inclination of the subscribers. The late money pressure has had a severe effect on this place, and were it not for the money expended by the Railroad Company, I may safely say, we should have been visited by severe distress."

Dr. Alley also encloses the following Resolutions, passed at a meeting of this Committee, held on the 4th of January, 1858.

1. "That this Committee ardently hope that ample means may be afforded to enable the Society to extend the sphere of its important labors.

2. "That the Society is justly entitled to the cordial thanks of every member of the Church in this Diocese.

3. "That this Committee continues to entertain the same sentiments which it has frequently before expressed in favour of the Diocesan Church Society, and still repeats its conviction of the great benefits which the Church has already derived from its exertions."

St. George, Pennfield, and Rourke Settlement.—Rev. J. M'Givern has enclosed returns from these parishes, shewing the sum of £24 2s. for the general purposes of the Society.

The annual meeting of the Local Committee was held on the 3d instant, the Rector in the chair, when it was resolved—

"That the chairman do convey to the Society the assurance of our unabated confidence in the good cause, our approbation of the wise administration of its funds for the several christian objects embraced by the Society, with our fervent prayers to the great Head of the Church, for His continued presence *with* and His gracious blessing *upon* all its future labours.

"That we observe with regret a small deficiency in the present year's contributions in this mission;* the cause is well known, and need not be repeated here. We indulge, however, the hope, that by the blessing of God, and the return of better times, we shall be able to make this good on a future occasion.

"In the distribution of the Society's annual grant of books, we remark that the Rector has established two lending libraries attached to each of the churches in St. George and Pennfield, and numbering at present 150 and 125 volumes respectively. These books, we have reason to believe, are most useful to the reading portion of the Church people. 'Never before the library was got up,' said a member of the congregation at Pennfield upon a late occasion to the minister, 'was there so much reading in the parish.' 'One motive surely this,' was the reply, 'why you should love the Church Society.' We hope to be remembered in the appropriation of the grant for books the present year."

Mr. M'Givern writes, that it is his wish, and that of the Committee, that their lay delegates support the motion for a change in the time of holding the annual meetings.

* It will be seen that this deficiency has been more than supplied since this report was received.

St. John, St. Mark's.—Mr. C. H. Fairweather, Secretary of this Local Committee, has enclosed returns as follows:—Schools, 5s.; Widows' and Orphans' Fund, 15s.; General Purposes, £93 0s. 8d.; total, £94 0s. 8d. "While I regret," Mr. Fairweather writes, "the decrease in the amount contributed by our Committee, I cannot say I am surprised at it. With the commercial affairs of the Province in so deranged a condition; the mills, ship-yards, and other manufacturing establishments around us, upon which we depend for employment and income to so many of our people, standing idle, and with the existing uncertainty as to when a better state of things may be expected, it ought not to excite surprise, if contributions to this and kindred societies shew a diminution. We have rather reason to be thankful, that at such a time so near an approach has been made to the contributions of more prosperous years. I trust that next year we may be more happily situated, and be able to make up the deficiencies of the present."

Mr. Fairweather has since enclosed the following Resolution, passed at the annual meeting of the St. Mark's Local Committee:

"That the appointment of travelling missionaries, to be sent, accompanied with supplies of Bibles and Prayer-books, to hitherto neglected parts of the Province, is esteemed by this meeting an object of paramount importance, and as such is hereby earnestly recommended to the attention of the delegates who shall meet at the ensuing annual meeting of the Society in Fredericton."

St. John, Trinity.—Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D. D., writes—"We have used every exertion to augment our subscription list, and have to a certain extent succeeded. The panic in the commercial world, the more than ordinary pressure upon our poor, the additional demands upon us for the Indian fund, and for our Orphan Asylum, have all tended to limit our means.

"We have, nevertheless, the pleasure of sending you this year an increased amount of contributions, and have added a number of names to our subscription list, which, I hope, will permanently continue thereon."

George D. Robinson, Esq., Secretary of this Committee, has since forwarded the subscription list, which, together with the semi-annual collections, amounts to the sum of £208 5s. 9d.

St. John, St. James.—H. W. Frith, Esq., Secretary of this Committee, has enclosed returns, shewing the amount of £74 7s. 3d. for the general purposes of the Society. This amount, Mr. Frith observes, is double the first contribution of this parish in 1852. "I trust," he writes, "it will continue in a still greater ratio to increase. This year our success is mainly owing to the strenuous and untiring efforts of our Rector, who both by precept and example, has urged upon us the duty and necessity of doing all we can for this institution of our Church. I may say, he personally visited nearly every subscriber, and collected many of the subscriptions with his own hands."

At the annual meeting of this Local Committee, the following subjects were respectfully recommended to the favourable consideration of the General Committee.

1. That the alteration in the time of holding the anniversary meetings of the Society from the winter to the summer season, as has been proposed, because not only would the meeting be more generally attended in summer, but the annual subscriptions of members would be called for previous to such meetings, at the *best* period for collecting money, instead of the *worst* as at present.

2. The employment of one or more *travelling Missionaries*, as the funds of the Society will permit, whole duty it shall be, not only to officiate in vacant parishes and districts unprovided with a pastor, as occasion should require, but also as authorised agents of the Society, to convene meetings from time to time (with the approval of the Rector, if any, of the Parish in which any such meetings should be held), in those parts of the Diocese

where meetings would not otherwise be held, to advocate the claims of the Society, and by explaining its nature and objects, to interest the people in its behalf.

St. Mary's.—Rev. W. Jaffrey, the Missionary at St. Mary's, remits collections and subscriptions amounting in all to £14 13s. 11d., with expressions of his belief that his parishioners, in contributing this amount, have their circumstances considered, done quite equal, if not more than the parishioners of any of the neighboring parishes. He also feels satisfied that the whole of the amount contributed was given with a hearty good will, and a desire for the glory of God, and the good of His Church.

In August last forty-one persons offered themselves for confirmation, twenty-nine of whom being considered fully prepared, received that solemn rite.

He regrets, as every faithful labourer in God's vineyard must, that the fruits of his labours are not more abundant; yet he toils on in hope, recollecting that Paul "planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the increase."

During the past year he has preached 121 times, to congregations numbering from 10 to 120, sometimes in log cabins, and sometimes in school houses.

He has been greatly assisted in his labours by three gentlemen, Mr. Clarkson, Mr. Biden, and Mr. Covert, who have acted as catechists, declining to accept any portion of the £10 granted by the Society at its last meeting. He hopes in a few days to remit a further sum.

St. Stephens.—Extract of a letter from the Rev. George W. Durell, Rector of St. Anne's Church, Calais, Maine, to the Lord Bishop of Fredericton:—

"Right Rev. and Dear Sir,—You were good enough to request me to inform you, near the beginning of the year, what services had been performed by me in the parish of St. Stephen and vicinity during the absence of the Rector.

"For the last six months I have celebrated divine service and preached once every Sunday in Christ Church, St. Stephen. The children of the Sunday school have been frequently catechised by me in the church. The school is in a prosperous condition, and the teachers manifest a growing interest in their work. The regular Sunday service is *very* well attended. There is an improvement, I think, in the mode of making the responses, and also in the singing. I meet the choir every Wednesday evening, and direct their practice. Your Hymn Book is deservedly prized by us all as an invaluable help in the public worship.

"In addition to these duties, I have held occasional services and preached in the parish church, and also in the parish of St. James. I have baptized twelve persons, and attended eight funerals. Collections are taken in church every Sunday, and I have received in all for my services for the half year, £25." * * *

Nehemiah Marks, Esq., has enclosed a list of subscribers, amounting to £17 1s. 5d.

Shediac.—Contributions amounting to £12 8s. 6d. are reported by the Rev. Dr. Jarvis.

Simonds.—Rev. J. W. Disbrow is happy to report an increased amount of contributions, being for the present year £12 14s. 7½d. "This," he writes, "shews notwithstanding the great scarcity of money, and the general depression in the various branches of business, a warm attachment to the Society's cause. The last Report of the Society, containing the speeches at the previous meeting, has had an encouraging effect upon the members of the Church in this section.

"During the past year I have preached on Sundays over one hundred times, and in addition to my other duties, have had an occasional service at the Alms House on a week day.

"The attendance at the different churches has been less fluctuating than formerly, particularly at that at Black River, in which there is always a good attendance.

"I have paid forty visits to the sick and dying, and have administered the holy communion to three sick persons; one of them has partially recovered, the other two died shortly after receiving that holy rite, and I trust are now holding a more heavenly communion with their Saviour and their God.

"Since I came to the parish I have baptized three hundred infants and adults, and seventy persons have been confirmed. Thirteen were confirmed by the Lord Bishop in the month of July last, ten of whom were young men, all about 18 years of age, which caused his Lordship to remark that it was the largest proportion of males which he had noticed in his visitation tour. Several of these young men have since come forward to the holy communion. There are now 40 communicants in the parish, the number having doubled since I first entered on my present duties.

"Thus you will perceive that the Church here is making its quiet progress. Not indeed to the extent that might be desired; but a more lively interest is being awakened in Church matters than in former years. I hope and pray my labours may not be altogether in vain. The more I engage in the work, the more I feel inefficiency for its all-important duties.

"My strength is in the Lord above. It is to Him 'who knoweth all things' that I go for comfort and support, and it is to God alone that I desire to ascribe all honour, glory, and praise."

Springfield and Johnson.—Rev. C. P. Bliss writes that his subscriptions are not yet completed, amounting at present to £22 2s. 4d. The amount will probably exceed that of the past year, notwithstanding the unprecedented scarcity of money.

At the meeting of the Local Committee, it was resolved that the thanks of this committee be heartily rendered to the Diocesan Church Society for the liberal grants made at all times to this mission, and that a continuance of the same generous liberality be respectfully solicited.

That the lay delegates be instructed to oppose any motion for changing the time of holding the annual meetings of the Society.

"It is," Mr. Bliss writes, "with feelings of gratitude and pleasure that I report the state of this mission as satisfactory in many respects. The attendance at both churches and at all the stations is large and steady. This is owing to the regularity with which the appointments are kept. The communicants are increasing, some of those lately confirmed having been added to the number.

"The mission is an extensive one, and consequently the duty very arduous. If there were any possibility of a clergyman being found who could take the parish of Johnson, I would earnestly urge upon the Society the propriety of dividing the mission. I have now two churches and four stations, giving one two full services every Sunday and one every other Saturday. Although I am but young, and have served the Society but little, I begin to feel the effects of my work upon my throat, which troubles me much in reading or preaching, so much so as at times to make me dread the approach of Sunday. I am willing, however, to labour as long as my strength will permit, thankful to do something, however feeble, in my Master's vineyard.

"There were 24 persons confirmed at the late visitation of the Bishop."

Upham.—Rev. W. H. DeVeber reports £31 15s. 7½d. as the amount contributed to the Society in this mission.

Mr. Joseph A. Fowler, Secretary of this Local Committee, has enclosed the following resolutions, passed at a meeting held in St. Peter's Church on the 2d instant:—

1. "That this meeting is of opinion that the most convenient time for

holding the anniversary meetings of the Society, would be some time in the early part of the month of July.

2. "That this meeting do express their warmest thanks to the Diocesan Church Society, for the liberal grant of books, which they have hitherto made, but are of opinion that the money in future should be given for the aid of missions.

3. "That when grants are made for the support of clergymen, the Society should require security from the churchwardens for the payment of such a sum as may be deemed expedient."

WELFORD.—Rev. D. J. Wetmore writes that the difficulty in money matters on account of the bad state of the markets, has prevented him from forwarding more than £5 for the present year.

WESTFIELD.—The Rev. C. Milner has forwarded a list of contributions, which amount to £12 12s. 4½d.

This sum is, Mr. Milner writes, less than it would otherwise have been, on account of Mr. R. F. Hazen having devoted the greater portion of his contribution to assist in the erection of a new church in the parish.

WESTMORLAND.—Rev. Donald M. Bliss has forwarded his returns, shewing an increased amount of contributions, viz., £16 in all, and he trusts that when again called on, the people of his mission will be able to increase their subscriptions still more.

WOODSTOCK.—The annual meeting of this Committee was held on the 27th Dec., and resolutions were passed thanking the Society for the grant of books, and recommending another similar appropriation this year, and

2. That this Committee observe with lively interest the yearly progress of the Society, and look forward with hope and trust to the time when, by the blessing of God, its benefits may be experienced in the remotest settlements of the diocese, and felt and acknowledged by all to be what it really is, a "Society for the propagation of the Gospel."

3. That the failure in a very important branch of business, has caused here, as elsewhere, an almost unparalleled scarcity of money; yet this Committee, knowing the paramount importance of the Diocesan Church Society, and fully alive to the necessity of sustaining it, feels bound to the same exertion as heretofore in its behalf.

4. That this Committee, while it deeply sympathises with the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, at the destruction of two of its late flourishing missions, and the loss of several of its most zealous missionaries in India, consider it the duty of each member of the Church in this Diocese to make every exertion to aid the funds of the Church Society, that thereby the burden upon the parent Society may be lessened, and its bounty extended where it is more urgently required, viz., in the conversion of our fellow-subjects in India and other British possessions, who, although dwelling amid the grossest heathen darkness and superstition, are yet, many of them, "hungering and thirsting" after the "bread and waters of life."

The Committee also strongly recommend a change in the time of the general meetings of the Society.

The Rev. S. D. Lee Street, in enclosing the foregoing resolutions, writes as follows:—"Little can arise in such a mission as this, beyond the regular routine of duty, to afford any particular interest to the Society. During the past year, it is true, there have been more than the usual number of deaths, and many from among the young and middle-aged, adding to the multitude of warnings that no age can escape the unerring shafts of death. With regard to one of them especially, it may be said to have been a very striking instance of the power of the grace of God upon the heart of the truly penitent.

"The Rev. H. B. Nichols was removed early in June last to the charge of a parish, and I was consequently left alone for a few months, and had

reluctantly to relinquish many of the regular services. During this time I was also called upon to prepare candidates for confirmation, and scattered as they were over this extensive mission, it was impossible for me, with many other demands upon my time, to afford them all the attention they required. However, I was enabled to present 53 for that holy rite, administered by the Lord Bishop in September last (two of this number had been previously baptized as adults); and as a most comforting proof that my labour had not been bestowed in vain, eleven of this number came forward on the same day and received their first communion; and my earnest prayer is, that they may ever continue steadfast in the faith, waiting and 'watching for the coming of the Lord.'

"The Rev. E. S. Woodman entered upon his duties as Curate about the 1st October, and bids fair to be a useful and zealous assistant. The usual work in the mission was then resumed, viz., five full services on every Sunday, and a monthly service on Wednesdays at four different stations. These services are performed by the curate, and though on a week-day, the congregations are generally large, attentive, and devout. A number of Churchmen live in these distant and fast-increasing settlements, who are most desirous of the regular services of the Church. They travel some distance to attend, and bring their children to be baptized.

"These weekly duties," Mr. Street concludes, "are performed by the Curate. I formerly took part, but latterly my state of health has not justified me in undertaking more than the work which surrounds me nearer home. The five services on Sunday are divided equally between the Curate and myself, he preaching twice, and I myself three times. Still, with all this work, it grieves me to think of what is left undone, and of the many portions of this extensive mission which can receive little or no attention. Well may we therefore pray that the Lord may send more labourers. 'The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few.'"

Contributions are £53 12s. 6½d.

These reports, it is believed, fully confirm the assertion that the ministrations of the Church have been greatly blessed during the past year, and they shew as one of the fruits of this blessing, that with the very many local claims upon the liberality of its members, and all the well known difficulties of the present time, there is a large increase in the gross amount contributed to the Society, which is as follows:—Divinity Scholarships, £4 10s.; Schools, 5s.; Widows' and Orphans' Fund, 18s.; Churches and Chapels, £26 5s. 7d.; General Purposes, £1,439 3s. 5d.; Total, £1,471 2s.

This was indeed anticipated by many at the last Anniversary Meeting. But since that period events have occurred wholly unforseen, which have affected in some degree each member of the community. For while, in great mercy, God has blessed the earth with more than usual fruitfulness, suddenly, without any assignable cause, the course of business and commerce has been arrested, and in many instances embarrassment and want have taken the place of prosperity and abundance. Now faith leads us to see in all this the hand of an overruling Providence, as much as if He had sent a famine or a pestilence, and an evident purpose too in connexion with objects like those embraced by this Society.

God thus plainly calls upon his creatures to remember the transitory tenure of wealth gained or held for mere temporal ends, and that its possession is best secured when a due proportion is devoted to His service from whose bounty every thing is received.

Other events also having a direct bearing on the work of this Society demand our attention. The historian of the past year will have to record deeds of darkness and atrocity such as were never recorded before; committed in distant lands by those professedly without the pale of christianity, and nearer home too we have shuddered at acts of cruelty almost unheard of, perpetrated in this christian land. What do we see here but the dark sad picture of human nature as it is, and ever will be, without such means of grace as we are permitted to enjoy? Do we not here perceive the absolute need of a work such as this Society has undertaken to do? Upon all to whom the light of truth has been extended, the express charge has been laid to extend that blessing to others; and all his creatures, fallen though they be, are dear in their Redeemer's sight. But apart from this pressing consideration, the experience of the past year would assure us, that there is no real security against the action of the basest passions of a fallen nature save in the extension of the Gospel of Christ—its power and influence on the hearts and lives of men.

To a deep sense of this our fellow Churchmen in Great Britain seem now to be fully aroused. Great are the efforts being made to extend the knowledge of salvation to the wretched heathen of India. We would surely not ask to have any portion diverted from an object so sacred to supply our spiritual wants. But can we be content meanwhile to stand still and watch the work of ruin going on around us, making no effort to arrest it?

It cannot be disguised that, far and near, there is growing up an heathenism—fatal to individual souls and injurious to the best interests of the community. This will ever be, when the means of grace, appointed by Christ himself, are not afforded; and each year of neglect makes it harder to supply a remedy.

Let it then be known to every member of the Church throughout the Diocese, that by his offerings to God through this Society, by his prayers for its success, by his active co-operation in its work, he does so much for the glory of God, for the good of those for whom the Saviour died, for his own security—his temporal—his eternal peace.

ABSTRACT FROM RETURNS OF MISSIONARIES,

TO WHOSE SUPPORT THE DIOCESAN CHURCH SOCIETY CONTRIBUTES,

From 31*st Dec.* 1856, *to* 31*st Dec.* 1857.

MISSION.	MISSIONARY.	Number of Churches and Stations.		Number of Public Services.		Average attendance. *b*	Number of Communicants.	Number of Baptisms.	Miles travelled in performance of duty.	Amount of local Contributions to Missionary's support.
		Churches.	Stations.	Sunday.	In the week.					
Bathurst, New Bandon, Salmon Beach &c.	Rev. C. F. Street. *a*	2	9	53	34	465	26	39	1486	Not yet made up.
Blackville and Nelson	" W. Cruden. *c*	2	1	52	8	50	45	25	2100	£8 10s. in Nelson.
Campobello	" J. S. Williams.	1	3	104	52	45	25	8		£25 18s.
Douglas, Tay Creek &c. &c.	" G. G. Roberts.	3	3	120	40		67	28	3780	£45.
Greenwich, Petersville, &c.	" C. G. Wiggins *d*									
Harvey, Hopewell &c. &c.	" H. B. Nichols *e*	2	4	50	24	235	15	15		£25.
Howard Settlement, Canterbury	" T. Hartin.	0	4			140		20		Not stated.
Lancaster	" G. Bedell.	4	4	104	26	480	47	16		£75.
Moncton	" W. N. Boyer.	1		115	45			16	250	Not stated.
New Maryland	" W. Q. Ketchum. *f*	1		42		25	10	5	512	Nothing.
Prince William, Dumfries, Magundy &c.	" P. W. Loosemore.	3	2	114	45	184	52	20	4717	£40.
Queensbury	" W. H. Tippett.	2	4	100	15	70	28	4	1200	£15 6s. 11d.
St. David and St. Patrick	" J. S. Thomson.	2				*g* 20 to 150	50	23		Not stated.
St. Marys, Stanley &c.	" W. Jaffrey.	3	4	108	13	258	20	26	200 0	£26.
St. Stephen (Curate) *h*										
Simonds	" J. W. Disbrow.	3	1	100			40	25	2000	Not stated.
Springfield and Johnson	" C. P. Bliss.	2	4	*i* 136			94	18	2296	£16.
Welford	" D. J. Wetmore.	1	2	89		50	15	25	1822	£17 12s. 3d.
Woodstock (Curate) *k*	" E. S. Woodman.	2	4			220				£35.

a These returns are for six months only.
b Altogether at the different Churches and Stations.
c These returns are only for six months.
d This Missionary is absent on account of ill-health.
e These returns are for six months.
f This duty is in addition to that performed as Curate of Fredericton.
g At St. David Church.
h This post has been vacant during the latter part of the year.
i Sunday and week days, including funerals.
k Four full services on Sunday, and two during the week by the Rector and Curate. Holy Communion and Baptisms administered by the Rector.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE.

FREDERICTON, FEBRUARY 9TH, 1858.

The Committee met in the Madras School Room at half past six o'clock.

The Right Reverend John, Lord Bishop of Fredericton, President, &c., took the chair.

Prayers.

The Rev. Charles Lee and Mr. W. Carman, a Select Committee, reported the Lay Deputies duly qualified to represent the Local Committees.

The Clergy present, and the Lay Deputies, on this and the succeeding evening, were the following—with the exception of those marked *, who, though duly qualified, were not present:—

Andover,	Rev. S. J. Hanford,	
Burton,	" A. V. G. Wiggins, D.D.	R. D. Wilmot, M.P.P., N. Hubbard.
Bathurst,	" C. F. Street,	Hon. J. S. Saunders, W. End, M.P.P.
Campobello,		Hon. R. L. Hazen, J. B. Toldervy, M. D.
Cambridge,		S. J. Scovil.
Carleton,	" F. Coster,	
Chatham,		Hon. J. A. Street,* W. Carman.
Dorchester,		Hon. E. B. Chandler,* Hon. A. J. Smith, M. P. P.*
Douglas,	" G. Goodridge Roberts,	F. Clements, James Foshay.
Fredericton and New Maryland,	The Ven. the Archdeacon,	Hon. the Master of the Rolls, E. Simonds.
Gagetown,		S. H. Gilbert, M. P. P.
Glenelg,		Hon. J. S. Saunders, W. Carman.
Greenwich,		John L. Wilmot, W. B. M'Keel.
Harvey & Hopewell	Rev. H. B. Nichols,	W. Carman, J. C. Allen, M. P. P.
Howard Settlement		G. J. Dibblee, J. C. Allen, M. P. P.
Hampton,		J. Robb, M.D., J. B. Toldervy, M. D.
Kingsclear,	" J. Black,	G. Garden, A. W. Rainsford, Jr.
Kingston,	" W. E. Scovil,	Samuel Foster, W. P. Flewelling.
Lancaster,	" G. Bedell,	
Maugerville,	" A. V. G. Wiggins, D.D.	David Tapley, John Brown.
Moncton,		B. Botsford, M.P.P.,* J. Robb, M.D.
Norton,		J. B. S. Raymond, W. B. Scovil, M. P. P.
Prince William and Dumfries,	" Philip W. Loosemore,	Thomas Jones, John Ellegood.*
Portland, St. Paul's,	" Charles Lee,	W. Jack, S. R. Thomson.
Queensbury,	" H. W. Tippett,	
Richibucto,		J. W. Weldon, L. P. W. Desbrisay, M. P. P.
Sackville,		Hon. A. E. Botsford, J. C. Allen, M. P. P.
St. Andrews,		G. D. Street, J. W. Chandler, M.P.P.
St. George and Pennfield,		G. J. Dibblee, S. A. Akerley.
St. John, St. James,		Hon. Mr. Justice Parker, W. Wright.*
St. John, St. Mark's		R. S. Deveber, S. D. Berton,
St. John, Trinity,	" J. W. D. Gray, D. D.	F. A. Wiggins,* J. V. Thurgar.*
St. Mary's,	" W. Jaffrey,	John Hobin, Thomas F. Barker.

Simonds,		Hon. the Provincial Secretary, J. Jordan.*
Springfield,		W. B. Scovil, M. P. P., G. P. Wolhaupter.
Upham and St. Martins,		Hon. John H. Gray, M.P.P., W. B. Scovil, M. P. P.
Westmorland,		F. A. H. Stratton,* G. J. Bliss.
Woodstock,	Rev. S. D. Lee Street,	John Bedell, W. F. Dibblee.

The Secretary read the Reports of the Missionaries, and the Returns of the Local Committees.

On motion of Mr. Foster—Resolved, That the same be received.

The Secretary read the Report of the proceedings of the Executive Committee for the past year, and the Report of the Auditors upon the Treasurer's accounts.

On motion of Mr. Jack—Resolved, That the Report of the Auditors be received, and entered upon the Minutes.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Justice Parker—Resolved, That the Report of the Auditors on the subject of the old 7th Object of the Society be received, and the recommendations contained therein be adopted.

AUDITORS' REPORT

ON THE ACCOUNTS OF THE DIOCESAN CHURCH SOCIETY FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1857.

Assets of the Society, 31st December, 1856, per last Audit,				£2,252	1 9
The Treasurer for the year ending 31st December, 1857, debits himself as follows, per Account "A":—					
Sundry Subscriptions,	£1,150	17	1½		
Collections in Churches and Chapels,	218	5	4		
Interest collected,	93	19	8		
				1,463	2 1½
				£3,715	3 10½
Less sundry payments in 1857, per Account "B"—					
To Missionaries, &c.,	£877	10	0		
The Lord Bishop's orders to Missionaries,	30	0	0		
On Grants to Churches and Chapels,	65	0	0		
" " to Widows and Orphans,	50	0	0		
" " to Parsonage Houses,	20	0	0		
" " for Books,	105	0	0		
" " Secretary's Salary,	25	0	0		
" " to Treasurer,	20	0	0		
The Lord Bishop's orders from a grant of £50 towards the education of children of clergymen,	37	10	0		
Contingencies,	60	9	11½		
				1,290	9 11½
Assets of Diocesan Church Society, 31st Dec. 1857,				£2,424	13 11
Which is accounted for as follows, viz.—					
Amount invested, per account C.,	£1,584	1	6		
Water Debenture, No. 102,*	50	0	0		
Cash in Central Bank, £439 1 2					
" in Bank of New Brunswick, 351 11 3					
	790	12	5		
				2,424	13 11

* This does not appear in Treasurer's Account. See Auditor's Report of last year.

The FUNDED SECURITIES, amounting to, as per Treasurer's Account C., ...					£1,584	1 6
Water Debenture, No. 102, ...					50	0 0
					£1,634	1 6

Should be divided as follows, viz.:

"*Old Seventh Object Fund.*"								
Due this fund, 31st December, 1856,	£755	8	1					
1 year's interest to 31st December, 1857,	45	6	10					
	£800	14	11					
Less paid in 1857 grants to Mrs. Stirling and Mrs. Robertson, . .	50	0	0					
Due this fund, 31st Dec. 1857, . .				£750	14	11		
"*Seventh Object Fund of present Constitution.*"								
Due this fund, 31st December, 1856,	£106	16	1					
One year's interest to 31st Dec. 1857,	6	8	1					
Special Contribution—(see p. 20 of 21st Diocesan Church Society Report)—	4	5	4					
Due this fund, 31st Dec. 1857, . .				£117	9	6		
"*Widows' and Orphans' Fund.*"								
Due this fund, 31st December, 1856,	£258	15	3					
One year's interest to 31st Dec. 1857,	15	10	6					
Grant of 20th January, 1857, . .	50	0	0					
Due this fund, 31st Dec. 1857, . . .				£324	5	9		
"*Divinity Scholarship Fund.*"								
Due this fund, 31st December, 1856,	£79	13	8					
One year's interest to 31st Dec. 1857,	4	15	2					
Due this fund, 31st Dec. 1857, . .				£84	8	10		
Leaving a balance of the Funded Securities for the credit of Missionary Fund, or for General Purposes, of				£357	2	6		
							£1,634	1 6
The CASH BALANCE of							£790	12 5
To the following—viz.:								
Churches and Chapels.								
Due this fund, 31st December, 1856,	£195	0	0					
Less expired grants of 1852 and 1853 to Welford, Hopewell and Harvey—(see 29th page of 21st Report of D. C. S.),	45	0	0					
	£150	0	0					
Special Contribution—(see p. 20 of 21st Report of Diocesan Church Society),	0	10	0					
	£150	10	0					
Paid in 1857—								
Grant of 1854 to Londonderry, £20 0 0								
" 1856 to Maugerville, 20 0 0								
" 1856 to Sackville, 25 0 0								
	65	0	0					
Due this fund 31st Dec. 1857, . .				£85	10	0		
Carried forward, .				£85	10	0	£790	12 5

Brought forward, . .				£85	10	0	£790	12	5
The following Grants are unpaid—									
Of 1854, to Harvey, . . .	£10	0	0						
" " to Douglas Valley, . .	10	0	0						
" 1855, to Irish Settlement, Springfield,	15	0	0						
" " to St. Stephen, . .	10	0	0						
" " to Portage Sussex, . .	15	0	0						
" 1856, to Howard Settlement, .	25	0	0						
	£85	0	0						
"*Parsonage Houses.*"									
Due this fund 31st Dec. 1856, . .	£40	0	0						
Paid in 1857—									
Grant of 1856 to Lancaster, £10 0 0									
" 1857 to Grand Manan, 10 0 0	20	0	0						
Due this fund, 31st December 1857, . .				£20	0	0			
Grant of 1853 to Harvey unpaid, . £20 0 0									
"*Schools.*"									
Due this fund, 31st December, 1856, .	£2	15	0						
Special Contribution (see page 20 of 21st Diocesan Church Society Report,) .	0	10	0						
Due this fund, 31st Dec., 1857, . .				£3	5	0			
On Grants of 1856 and 1857 to the Lord Bishop, for the Education of Sons of Clergymen—									
Due 31st Dec., 1856, on Grant of 1856,	£ 6	5	0						
Granted 20th January, 1857, . .	50	0	0						
	£56	5	0						
Less paid in 1857, . . .	37	10	0						
Due, 31st Dec., 1857, . . .				£18	15	0			
Leaving a Cash balance for General Purposes,* .				£663	2	5			
							£790	12	5

* From this is to be deducted a Quarter's salary due to several Missionaries.

The Book Depository Committees show the following statements:—

SAINT JOHN.

Balance of Stock, 31st December, 1857, .	£76	14	3
" of Cash, " " " .	0	19	6½
	£77	13	9½

FREDERICTON.

Balance of Stock, 31st December, 1857, .	£184	7	2½
" of Cash, " " " .	27	3	9½
	£211	11	0

Satisfactory vouchers accompany the Treasurer's Accounts.

There is one charge in Account B, under the head of Book Committee, of £5 paid to Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, which makes the payments to that Account £5 in excess of the Diocesan Church Society grant in Jan. 1857.*

Respectfully submitted.

GEORGE D. ROBINSON, }
WILLIAM H. SCOVIL, } *Auditors.*

St. John, N. B., 6th Feb. 1858.

* See Treasurer's Account A, and Secretary's Memorandum of monies received for importation of Books.—[Sec'y.]

AUDITORS' REPORT ON THE "OLD SEVENTH OBJECT FUND."

By Resolution of the Diocesan Church Society at General Committee meeting on 20th January, 1857, the Auditors were requested to report on the distribution of the old 7th Object Fund between the 7th and 8th Objects of the present Constitution.

They, having examined the Reports of the Society, recommend the following distribution, viz.:—

To the 7th Object of present Constitution, . .	£350 14 11
And to the 8th Object " " . .	400 0 0
Together amounting to . . .	£750 14 11

Being the amount to the credit of the "Old 7th Object Fund," on the 31st December, 1857.

They also beg to call the attention of the General Committee to the 7th Object, and to recommend that as it embraces the providing aid towards the education of children of clergymen who need such aid, in future grants for that purpose be made to and paid from this fund.

Respectfully submitted.

GEORGE D. ROBINSON,
WILLIAM H. SCOVIL.

St. John, N. B., 8th February, 1858.

Read by the Lord Bishop, the following schedule of sums required for Missionary purposes:

St. Mary's, . . .	£60	0	0	Curate of Woodstock, .	50	0	0
Simonds, . . .	30	0	0	Curate of St. Stephen, .	50	0	0
Queensbury, . . .	60	0	0	Douglas, ...	60	0	0
Campobello, . . .	50	0	0	Harvey, &c., . . .	60	0	0
Lancaster, . . .	60	0	0	St. David, . . .	60	0	0
Springfield, . . .	60	0	0	Howard Settlement, .	30	0	0
Greenwich, &c., . .	60	0	0	Moncton, ...	30	0	0
Prince William, &c. .	60	0	0	Bathurst, . . .	30	0	0
Welford, ...	60	0	0	Nelson and Blackville, .	100	0	0
Buctouche, . . .	25	0	0	At disposal of the Bishop,	50	0	0

On motion of the Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D. D.—Resolved, That the sum of 1,045*l.* be placed at the disposal of the Lord Bishop, for Missionary purposes, agreeably to the schedule submitted above.

The Lord Bishop called the attention of the Committee to the want of a Missionary at Canning, Dalhousie, and of a Travelling Missionary.

The Secretary read a letter from the Churchwardens and Vestry of the Parish of Canning, expressing their great desire for a resident Clergyman; that 75*l.* would be contributed in the Mission to his support, and that he would be provided with a parsonage house and glebe, and asking aid of the Society for this object.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Justice Parker—Resolved, That it is expedient, if the funds will admit, to make provision for a Missionary at Canning and the adjacent Parishes, and that a sum not exceeding 100*l.* be placed at the disposal of the Lord Bishop for this purpose.

On motion of Mr. Carman—Resolved, That the Rev. F. Coster, Mr. G. D. Street, Mr. S. D. Berton, with the Secretary and the Treasurer, be a Committee to report to-morrow evening upon the present available funds of the Society, and upon the several applications for grants made to this Committee.

The Lord Bishop called the attention of the Committee to a proposed alteration in the Constitution of the Society.

Whereupon it was moved by S. R. Thomson, Esq., seconded by the Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D. D.

That Article XII. of the Constitution be rescinded, and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

That the Society shall hold its Anniversary Meetings at Fredericton and St. John alternately; at the latter place on the last Thursday in July, and at the former place on the Thursday after the second Tuesday in June in each year.

Upon this question the Committee divided as follows:

YEAS.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Parker,	Mr. S. R. Thomson,
The Hon. the Master of the Rolls.	" N. Hubbard,
The Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D. D.	" W. F. Dibblee,
" " S. D. Lee Street.	" J. Bedell,
" " A. V. G. Wiggins, D. D.	" G J. Dibblee,
" " G. Bedell,	" S. A. Akerly,
" " H. W. Tippett,	" R. S. DeVeber,
" " W. Jaffrey,	" George Garden,
" " C. Lee,	" Thomas Jones,
" " P. W. Loosemore,	" Mr. W. Carman,
" " H. B. Nichols,	" F. Clements,
" " G. G. Roberts,	" James Foshay,
" " C. F. Street,	" S. D. Berton,
Hon. J. H. Gray,	" A. W. Rainsford,
Mr. G. D. Street,	" W. J. Bedell. 30.

NAYS.

Rev. W. E. Scovil,	Hon. the Provincial Secretary.
" F. Coster,	" A. E. Botsford,
" J. Black,	" R. L. Hazen,
" S. J. Hanford,	Mr. End,
Dr. Toldervy,	Dr. Robb,
Mr. W. B. Scovil,	Mr. E. Simonds,
" J. C. Allen,	" J. F. Barker,
" J. B. S. Raymond,	" W. Jack,
" J. Hobin,	" G. B. Wolhaupter,
" W. P. Flewelling,	" S. Foster, 20.

A majority of two-thirds being required, the motion was accordingly decided in the negative.

On motion of the Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D.D.—Resolved, That the Secretary be requested to write to the several Local Committees, asking for their opinion with reference to a change in the season for holding the Anniversary Meetings of the Society.

The Committee adjourned till to-morrow evening at half past six o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10th, 1858.

PRESENT:

The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop, &c., in the chair.
The Clergy and Lay Deputies.

Prayers.

Read Minutes of the last Meeting.

Read by the Secretary some further returns, and a statement of the whole amount contributed to the various objects of the Society. [*See page* 24].

The Rev. F. Coster, from the Committee appointed last evening upon the available funds of the Society, stated that the Committee had attended to that duty, and recommend for the present year the appropriation of the sum of 1550*l.*, of which 1145*l.* has already been granted, leaving a balance of 405*l.* at the disposal of this Committee.

Mr. Coster also submitted a statement of grants which will necessarily be required, amounting to 310*l.*, and the following list of applications for aid towards the erection of Churches and Parsonages:

Church at Dalhousie.	Church at Glenelg.
" " Salmon Beach.	" " Blackville.
" " Burton.	" " Sackville.
" " Maugerville.	" " St. Patrick.

Parsonage at Norton.

And also the following applications for sums to be regranted—they having lapsed from not being drawn for within the time specified:—

Church at Hopewell.	Church at Douglas Valley.
" " Harvey.	Parsonage at Harvey.

On motion of the Rev. A. V. G. Wiggins, D.D.—Resolved, That the Report be received.

On motion of the Rev. F. Coster, the following grants were unanimously passed:—

To the widow of the late Rev. J. M. Stirling, 25*l.*; to the widow of the late Rev. T. W. Robertson, 25*l.*; to the Secretary of the Society, 25*l.*; and to the Treasurer, 25*l.*

To the Executive Committee, for Contingent Expenses, 60*l.*

To the Lord Bishop, to assist in the education of the children of certain clergymen, 50*l.* (payable out of the interest of the 7th Object fund.)

To the Book Depository Committees of St. John and Fredericton, for the importation of Books, 150*l.*

To the several Local Committees, Books from the said Depositories to the amount of 150*l.*, to be appropriated by the Executive Committee.

On motion of the Rev. F. Coster—Whereas the attention

of the General Committee having been called by the Executive Committee to the necessity of legal proceedings being taken against those parties from whom interest on loans is due—Resolved, That the Chairman of the Loan Committee be called upon to take the necessary proceedings in all such cases; and further, that the securities belonging to the Society be placed in the custody of the said Chairman.

The attention of the Committee was also called to the bequest of the late Mrs. DeWolf; a copy of the will, and the legal opinion of Hon. J. A. Street was read; whereupon, on motion of the Rev. F. Coster—

Resolved, That the General Committee do approve of the proceedings taken by the Executive Committee in the case of the legacy of the late Mrs. DeWolf, and will make provision for such expenses as may be incurred.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Justice Parker—Resolved, That there be granted to the Rev. G. Bedell, Lancaster, the additional sum of 20*l.*, to meet the diminution in his stipend made by the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

On motion of the Rev. H. B. Nichols—Resolved, That the grants made in 1853-54 to the churches at Harvey and Hopewell, and the grant in 1853 to the Parsonage at Harvey, be renewed on the original conditions.

On motion of Mr. Berton—Resolved, That the grant to the church at Douglas Valley of 10*l.* be renewed.

On motion of Mr. N. Hubbard—

That the sum of £—— be granted towards the erection of a church in the Parish of Burton.

It was moved in amendment by the Rev. S. D. Lee Street, seconded by Mr. W. F. Dibblee—

Whereas the increase of Missionaries is of the utmost importance, and has ever been regarded as the primary object of this Society, and is the surest means of extending its usefulness. *Therefore Resolved*, That the balance of £75 now at the disposal of this Committee, be placed in the hands of the Lord Bishop, towards the employment of a Travelling Missionary; which amendment was carried in the affirmative.

The Lord Bishop left the chair, and on motion of Mr. Carman, the Hon. Mr. Justice Parker took the same. It was then moved by Mr. Allen, and resolved unanimously, That the thanks of this Committee be tendered to his Lordship, for his able and impartial conduct in the chair.

JOHN FREDERICTON, *Chairman.*

W. Q. Ketchum, *Secretary.*

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

FREDERICTON, FEBRUARY 11, 1858.

The Anniversary Meeting was held in the Madras School Room, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Hon. J. H. T. Manners-Sutton, &c. &c., Lieutenant-Governor, Patron of the Society, in the Chair.

The Right Reverend John, Lord Bishop of Fredericton, President.

The Venerable the Archdeacon, V. P.

The Honorable Mr. Justice Neville Parker, V. P.

The Honorable S. L. Tilley, Provincial Secretary, V. P.

The Clergy and Lay Deputies who had attended the meetings of the General Committee.

And a large assembly of other members of the Society.

Prayers.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor addressed the meeting, and called on the Secretary to read the Report.

Moved by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop, seconded by the Hon. the Provincial Secretary—Resolved unanimously, That the Report be adopted, and printed under the direction of the Executive Committee.

Moved by the Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D. D., seconded by the Hon. the Attorney General—Resolved unanimously, That gratitude to Almighty God, for His blessing upon this Society, and for many other undeserved mercies, should be shown on the part of each member of our Church, by increased zeal for its maintenance and extension.

Moved by the Hon. J. Hamilton Gray, seconded by the Rev. Philip Wood Loosemore—Resolved unanimously, That the example set by our fellow-Churchmen in Great Britain, in seeking to extend the kingdom of Christ in India, and in other heathen countries, should stimulate us to more self-denying efforts for its advancement in the destitute places of this Diocese.

Moved by G. D. Street, Esq., seconded by S. R. Thomson, Esq.—Resolved unanimously, That many events of the past year point to the necessity of increased exertions for the spread of the knowledge of the truth—a work which this Society desires more fully to carry out.

Moved by J. C. Allen, Esq., M. P. P., seconded by the Rev. A. V. G. Wiggins, D. D.—Resolved unanimously, That

the thanks of this meeting be tendered to the Officers of the Society, for their services during the past year. And further, that the following gentlemen be the Officers of the same for the current year:

W. J. Bedell, *Treasurer.*
Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, M. A., *Secretary.*
George D. Robinson, } *Auditors.*
W. Henry Scovil, }

And that the following gentlemen do compose the Executive Committee:

W. Wright,	George Roberts,
R. F. Hazen,	Hon. J. A. Street,
W. Jack,	W. Ellman,
J. Fairweather,	I. Raymond,
J. V. Thurgar,	G. D. Street,
W. Carman,	G. J. Dibblee,
E. Simonds,	S. R. Thomson,
L. H. DeVeber,	J. B. Toldervy, M. D.
Dr. Robb,	J. M. Robinson,
J. Wilkinson,	J. W. Weldon,
T. W. Daniel,	S. D. Berton,
J. C. Allen,	R. S. Armstrong.

The Rev. I. W. D. Gray, D.D., gave notice as follows:

That at the next Anniversary Meeting of the General Committee of this Society, to be holden at St. John in January 1859, I will propose an alteration in Article 12 of the Constitution of this Society, by which the time of its Anniversary Meetings will be changed from the months of January and February, as at present held, to the Thursday after the second Tuesday in July in each year.

Mr. S. R. Thomson gives notice, that he will propose at the next meeting of the General Committee, to be held at the City of Saint John, or at such other time next after the present meeting as by the Constitution he can move, that Article 12th of the Constitution be rescinded, and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

That the Society shall hold the Anniversary Meetings at Fredericton and Saint John alternately; at the latter place on the Thursday next after the first Tuesday in October, and at the former place on the Thursday next after the second Tuesday in October in each year.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor then left the chair, and on motion, the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop took the same.

Whereupon it was moved by the Honorable Mr. Justice Neville Parker, seconded by the Hon. A. E. Botsford—

Resolved unanimously, That the most hearty thanks of this Society be offered to His Excellency, for his able and courteous conduct in the chair.

J. H. T. MANNERS SUTTON,
Chairman.

W. Q. KETCHUM, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE DURING THE PAST YEAR.

The Minutes of the meeting held in St. John, January 23d, 1857, were published in full in the 21st Report (see page 35.)

At the meeting held in Fredericton, March 4th, the Hon. J. A. Street, from the Committee on the subject of the Bequest of the late Mrs. DeWolf, presented the following Report, which was ordered to be received and entered upon the Minutes:

"In the matter of the Will of the late Sarah Catherine DeWolf, late wife of Dr. Edward DeWolf, by which certain real estate was bequeathed to the Lord Bishop of Fredericton, in trust for the benefit of the Diocesan Church Society of this Province, subject to the life estate therein of the said Edward DeWolf, with power to lease for any term less or more than his natural life, a question having arisen as to the power of the tenant for life under the bequest to him, to encumber the estate by making leases injurious to the trust in remainder, and the subject having been referred to the undersigned to report thereon for the information of the Society, the undersigned having had the matter under consideration, and after giving the subject their best attention, beg to report, that they are of opinion that the subject matter of this Will, so far as the interests of the Society are concerned, involve legal questions of much importance, on the proper solution of which the pecuniary interests of the Society will much depend; and inasmuch as the Committee are led to believe that the tenant for life is acting upon a construction highly injurious to the interests of the estate in remainder, they recommend that no time be lost in referring the whole subject to some professional man of standing, with a view of obtaining a legal opinion, as a guide to the Lord Bishop and the Society in their future action in the matter, and that this should be done at the expense of the Society.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed.) J. A. STREET,
J. H. GRAY,
W. CARMAN.

Fredericton, March 3d, 1857.

It was then Resolved, That the subject be referred to the Hon. J. A. Street, for his legal opinion, and that the Committee adjourn to the 18th instant, to receive and consider the same.

At the adjourned meeting, the Hon. J. A. Street submitted a legal opinion in the case referred to, which was read and ordered to be received and filed by the Secretary. It was resolved that Mr. Street be requested to give notice to Mr. DeWolf, and to the Lessees under the Estate in question, in the manner recommended in the said opinion.

The Executive Committee met again in St. John, June 3d.

A copy of the Will of the late Mrs. DeWolf, and the written opinion of the Hon. J. A. Street, were read, when the following Resolutions were passed in reference to the same.

1. That the Lord Bishop be requested to have a bill filed to perpetuate the testimony of Edward DeWolf, and that of any other party whose evidence may be considered necessary for setting aside any leases purporting to have been made by the said Edward DeWolf, in pursuance of the power granted by the Will of his late wife, and to take any other steps that may be required for the protection of the interests of the Society.

2. That a copy of the inventory of the property of the late Mrs. DeWolf be obtained; and if no such inventory is filed, that the Lord Bishop be requested to make an application to the Probate Court for a citation to file such inventory.

Returns of the Fredericton Book Depository Committee were presented for the quarter ending 1st April, 1857, shewing net sales for cash, £13 12s. 9½d., and stock, £182 3s. 6d., and also a statement of the Treasurer's accounts up to 1st June instant.

It was resolved that the Loan Committee be requested to invest all grants made to the Widows' and Orphans' Fund, and such other sums as they consider, on communication with the Treasurer, the state of the funds will allow.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Messrs. Barnes & Co., printing 21st Report, £34 18s. 4d.

Hon. J. A. Street, for written opinion in case of DeWolf Estate—searches, &c., £12 14s. 6d.

The Secretary, for postage and travelling expenses up to 1st June instant, £2 8s. 9d.

At the meeting of the Committee at Fredericton, Oct. 7th.

The Treasurer was authorised to pay the grant of £25 made to the church at Sackville, satisfactory certificates having been furnished by the Building Committee. A letter was read from Rev. H. B. Nichols, with reference to a grant of £15 made in February 1854 to the church at Hopewell, when it was resolved that the said grant not having been claimed within the time limited by the Society, this Committee cannot make any order on the subject.

Quarterly returns from the Fredericton Book Depository Committee were read, shewing net proceeds of sales for the quarter ending October 1st, £11 8s. 3d., and balance of stock, £189 4s. 4d.

The Executive Committee met in St. John on the 6th January, 1858.

The accounts of the St. John and Fredericton Book Depository Committees were read, received, and referred to the Auditors.

A report was read from the Hon. J. A. Street, with reference to legal proceedings taken respecting the bequest made to the Society by the late Mrs. DeWolf, when the following Resolutions were passed:

1. That a Committee be appointed to ascertain if any other parties are interested in the proceedings taken to invalidate the Leases granted by Dr. DeWolf under his late wife's Will, and if so, to invite such parties to join this Society in the said proceedings, bearing their fair proportion of expenses that may be incurred.

2. That the attention of the General Committee be especially called to the steps taken by the Executive Committee with reference to the property left to the Society by the late Mrs. DeWolf, and that their sanction and approval, with instructions for the future, be respectfully requested.

It was also, on motion, Resolved, That the attention of the General Committee be called to the state of the Society's loans, particularly as to the proper custody of the securities, and the necessity of legal proceedings against those whose interest is in arrears.

Resolved, That Mr. W. Carman and Mr. Hugh Moore be a Committee to assist the Secretary in making arrangements for the General Meetings of the Society at Fredericton in February next.

The Executive Committee met at Fredericton on the 12th February, 1858.

On motion of Mr. Carman, the following accounts were ordered to be paid:

The Royal Gazette office, for printing notices from 27th February, 1856, to 1st January, 1858, £3 10s. 5d.

The Secretary of the Society, for postages, &c. from 16th June to 12th February instant, £2 8s. 6d.

Expenses incurred at the Annual Meetings, £5 13s. 6d.

"New-Brunswicker," newspaper, for notices in the DeWolf case, £1 1s. 8d.

Upon the statement of the Lord Bishop with reference to the church at Douglas Valley—Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorised to pay the grant of £10 towards the completion of the same.

On motion of Mr. G. D. Street—Resolved, That Mr. W. Wright, Mr. W. Jack, and Mr. F. A. Wiggins, be the Loan Committee for the ensuing year.

On motion of Mr. Dibblee—Resolved, That copies, not

exceeding 3,000, of the Annual Report be printed; and that Mr. R. F. Hazen, Mr. G. D. Robinson, Rev. C. Lee, and the Secretary, be a Committee to attend to that duty.

On motion of the Rev. C. Lee—Resolved, That the Revs. F. Coster, W. Harrison, W. E. Scovil, J. Armstrong, G. M. Armstrong, and Mr. Joseph Fairweather, Mr. W. Wright, and Mr. W. Jack, do compose the St. John Book Depository Committee for the ensuing year.

On motion of Mr. Dibblee—Resolved, That the Ven. the Archdeacon, the Hon. the Master of the Rolls, Dr. Robb, Mr. J. Wilkinson, Mr. C. Carman, Mr. J. C. Allen, Mr. E. Simonds, and the Secretary, do compose the Fredericton Book Depository Committee for the ensuing year.

On motion of Mr. G. D. Street—Resolved, That the Grant of £150 for Books to the several Local Committees be appropriated as follows:

Alley, Dr. Saint Andrews and Chamcook,	£4	10	0
Armstrong, J. Saint James's, Saint John,	3	0	0
Armstrong, G. M. Saint Mark's, Saint John,	3	0	0
Bacon, S. Chatham,	3	10	0
Bedell, G. Lancaster,	3	10	0
Black, J. Kingsclear,	2	10	0
Bliss, C. P. Springfield,	2	10	0
Bliss, D. M. Westmorland,	2	10	0
Boyer, W. N. Moncton,	1	10	0
Cruden, Rev. W. Blackville and Nelson,	3	10	0
Carey, G. T. Grand Manan,	1	10	0
Coster, Archdeacon Fredericton,	1	10	0
Coster, F. Carleton,	2	10	0
Coster, N. A. Gagetown,	1	10	0
DeVeber, W. H. Upham and Saint Martins,	5	0	0
DeWolf, T. N. Sackville and Dorchester,	3	10	0
Disbrow, J. W. Simonds,	2	0	0
Loosemore, P. W. Prince William and Dumfries,	3	10	0
Hanford, S. J. Andover and Grand Falls,	5	0	0
Harrison, W. St. Luke's, Portland,	3	0	0
Hartin, T. Howard Settlement, &c.,	3	10	0
Hudson, J. Glenelg, Newcastle, &c.,	4	0	0
Jaffrey, W. Saint Mary's,	2	10	0
Jarvis, Dr. Shediac and Cocaigne,	2	10	0
Ketchum, W. Q. Maryland,	2	0	0
Lee, C. St. Paul's, Portland,	3	0	0
M'Ghee, T. Sussex and Studholm,	2	10	0
M'Givern, J. Saint George and Pennfield,	5	0	0
Milner, C. Westfield,	3	0	0
Neales, J. Richibucto,	3	10	0
Nichol, H. B. Harvey, Hopewell, and Albert Mines,	4	0	0
Roberts, G. G. Douglas and Tay Creek,	4	10	0
Scovil, W. E. Kingston and White's Point,	3	10	0
Street, S. D. L. Woodstock, £4, Richmond, £2, and Jacksontown, £2,	8	0	0
Street, C. W. Bathurst and New Bandon,	4	0	0
Thomson, Dr. St. Stephen, &c.,	3	0	0
Thomson, J. S. Saint David, £2, Saint Patrick, £2,	4	0	0

Tippett, H. W. Queensbury,	£2	0	0
Walker, W. W. Hampton, (with special grant, £1)	4	10	0
Warneford, A. E. Norton,	3	10	0
Wetmore, D. J. Welford,	2	10	0
Wiggins, Dr. Maugerville and Burton,	3	10	0
Wiggins, G. C. Greenwich and Petersville,	3	0	0
Williams, J. S. Campobello,	2	10	0
Wood, Rev. A. Cambridge,	1	10	0
The Lord Bishop,	5	0	0

JOHN FREDERICTON,
Chairman.

W. Q. KETCHUM, *Secretary.*

TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS.

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The Diocesan Church Society of New Brunswick in Account with W. J. BEDELL, *Treasurer.*

1857.			CONTRIBUTIONS.		£	s.	d.
Jan.	Rec'd. from	Rev. C. F. Street,	Nelson, &c.		1	13	6
	"	" C. Milner,	Westfield,		5	0	0
	"	" S. Bacon,	add. Chatham,		0	10	0
	"	" D. J. Wetmore,	Welford,		8	10	0
	"	" J. Neales,	Richibucto,		27	15	0
	"	" William Jaffrey,	Saint Mary's,		14	0	0
	"	N. H. Deveber, Esq.,	Gagetown,		5	0	0
	"	Rev. Thomas Hartin,	Canterbury, &c.		8	2	9
	"	" H. W. Tippett,	Queensbury,		7	6	10
	"	" J. S. Hanford,	Andover, &c.		15	15	0
	"	Hon. A. E. Botsford,	Sackville,		27	16	9
	"	Rev. Mr. Warneford,			10	0	0
	"	" J. Hudson,	Miramichi,		6	10	0
	"	" W. Q. Ketchum,	Westmorland,		8	10	4
	"	" do.	Grand Manan,		4	15	0
	"	" do.	St. Andrews,		19	14	7
	"	" C. P. Bliss,	Springfield,		6	11	10
	"	R. S. DeVeber, Esq.,	(St. Mark's) Saint John,		86	17	8
	"	Rev. W. N. Boyer,	Moncton,		10	0	0
	"	" J. M'Givern,	Saint George,		13	10	0
	"	" John Black,	Kingsclear,		12	12	6
	"	H. B. Rainsford, Esq.	do.		1	0	0
	"	Rev. W. Q. Ketchum,	(Portland) Saint John,		8	10	6
	"	do.	add. Kingston,		3	0	0
	"	do.	(for 1855) Springfield,		6	12	0
	"	do.	Collection, do.		1	10	1
	"	do.	add. Blackville,		0	15	0
	"	" George Bedell,	Lancaster,		21	0	0
	"	" Thomas M'Ghee,	Sussex,		9	10	0
	"	" G. C. Wiggins,	Petersville, &c.,		27	15	4
	"	" J. W. Disbrow,	Simonds,		10	16	1
	"	" N. A. Coster,	Gagetown,		17	18	0
	"	Wm. Wright, Esq.,	Hampton,	£22 2 6	27	2	6
	"	do.	for Books, (paid to Mr. Ketchum,	5 0 0			
	"	Rev. W. Q. Ketchum,	Fredericton,		15	1	7
Feb'y.	"	do.	do.		12	16	3
	"	" J. S. Williams,	Campobello,		16	12	3
	"	" G. G. Roberts,	Douglas,		21	16	10½
	"	" S. D. L. Street,	Woodstock,		38	0	0
	"	" W. Q. Ketchum,	add. Westmorland,		1	10	3
March.	"	L. H. Waterhouse, Esq.	Saint John,		117	0	9
	"	Rev. W. Q. Ketchum,	Hon. C. Simonds,		10	0	0
	"	" W. H. Deveber,			25	5	7
May.	"	" W. W. Walker,	Hampton,		4	3	9
	"	do.	Hopewell and Harvey,		2	11	3
	"	" W. Q. Ketchum,	(Member of the Church,)		1	0	0
	"	" S. D. L. Street,	Woodstock,		5	0	0
	"	H. W. Frith, Esq.,	B. N. B.,		43	0	10
	"	Rev. F. Coster,	(Carleton) Saint John,		7	12	6
		Carried forward,	. . .		£757	13	1½

1857.		*Brought forward,* . . .	£757	13	1½
June.	Recd. from Rev. T. W. Street,	Saint Stephens,	21	6	3
	" " C. F. Street,	Nelson and Blackville,	2	18	5
	" " W. Q. Ketchum,	from Mr. D. L. Hanington,	10	0	0
August.	" " J. M'Givern,	Saint George,	5	0	0
	" " W. Q. Ketchum,	(Member of the Church),	1	0	0
October.	" do.	balance, Fredericton,	2	15	0
	" do.	from Colonel Legh, for 1856,	1	4	4
	" " S. D. L. Street,	Woodstock,	13	4	5
December.	" " J. Neales,	Richibucto,	15	0	0
	" " S. Bacon,	Chatham,	26	5	7
	" S. Scovil, Esq.,	Cambridge,	6	0	0
	" Daniel Scovil, Esq.,	Springfield,	10	0	0
	" Rev. C. P. Bliss,	do.	15	0	0
	" " E. Scovil,	Kingston,	20	0	0
	" " P. W. Loosemore,	Prince William, &c.	24	8	6
	" " Charles Lee,	(St. Paul's) Saint John,	58	4	9
	" G. D. Robinson, Esq.,	(Trinity) Saint John,	160	16	9
			£1,150	17	1½

1857. *Collections in Churches.*

June.	Rec'd. from Rev. N. A. Coster,	Gagetown,	£ 1	0	0
	" R. S. Deveber, Esq.	(St. John Church) St. John,	11	7	6
	" Rev. W. E. Scovil,	Kingston,	5	0	0
	" The Lord Bishop,	(Cathedral) Fredericton,	30	1	7
	" Rev. Dr. Gray,	(Trinity) Saint John,	16	15	0
	" " Charles Lee,	(St. Paul's) do.	12	6	9
	" " Samuel Bacon,	Chatham,	3	5	0
	" " W. Q. Ketchum,	New Maryland,	0	15	4
	" " James Neales,	Richibucto,	3	10	0
	" " Wm. Harrison,	Portland,	5	1	3
	" The Ven. Arch. Coster,	(Christ Church) Fredericton,	8	1	8
	" Rev. W. Q. Ketchum,	Westmorland,	1	2	6
July.	" " J. S. Hanford,	Andover,	2	17	6
	" " J. S. Williams,	Campobello,	2	3	6
	" " W. H. Tippett,	Queensbury,	2	3	4
	" " James Hudson,	Miramichi,	10	10	0
	" Mr. Frith,	Saint John,	5	0	0
August.	" Rev. W. H. Deveber,		2	10	0
	" " William Cruden,	Nelson and Blackville,	3	5	0
	" " Dr. G. J. Jarvis,	Shediac,	1	5	0
Sept.	" " Wm. Jaffrey,	St. Mary's,	2	0	0
	" " William Cruden,	Nelson and Blackville,	7	10	0
	" " Charles Lee,	(St. Paul's) Saint John,	6	7	0
October.	" " J. M'Givern,	Saint George,	2	2	0
	" " Samuel Bacon,	Chatham,	2	17	10
	" " Dr. G. J. Jarvis,	Shediac,	1	13	6
	" " James Neales,	Richibucto,	2	0	0
	" R. S. DeVeber, Esq.,	(St. John Church) St. John,	10	0	2
	" Rev. W. Q. Ketchum,	New Maryland,	0	15	0
	" do.	Donald Bliss, Westmorland,	1	10	0
	" The Ven. Arch. Coster,	(Christ Church) Fredericton,	5	12	6
	" The Lord Bishop,	(Cathedral) Fredericton,	20	9	3
	" Rev. Dr. Gray,	(Trinity) Saint John,	10	17	2
	" " James Hudson,	Miramichi,	10	10	0
	" " Wm. Cruden,	Nelson and Blackville,	3	10	0
	" " Mr. Hanford,	Andover,	2	10	0
			£218	5	4

Interest.

1857.			£	s.	d.
Jan. 10.	Rec'd. from	J. F. W. Winslow, on Mortgage,	6	0	0
	"	Wm. Wright, Esq., on Water Stock, St. John,	15	0	0
June 5.	"	John Dibblee, Esq., on Mortgage,	4	10	0
	"	Martin Mackey, on C. P. Wetmore's Mortgage,	3	0	0
Sept. 1.	"	John Dibblee, Esq., on Mortgage,	4	10	0
	"	William Lawrence, on account of Mortgage,	2	10	0
Nov. 6.	"	Martin Mackey, on C. P. Wetmore's Mortgage,	3	0	0
16.	"	William Lawrence, on Mortgage,	5	6	0
25.	"	James A. Maclauchlan, Esq., on Mortgage,	15	0	0
28.	"	J. F. W. Winslow, Esq., on Mortgage,	6	0	0
Dec. 31.	"	Archibald M'Lean, Esq., on his Mortgage,	14	3	8
18.	"	W. Wright, Esq., Water Company stock, St. John,	15	0	0
			£93	19	8

RECAPITULATED.

Contributions,	£1,150	17	1½
Collections in Churches,	218	5	4
Interest,	93	19	8
	£1.463	2	1½

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W. J. BEDELL, TREASURER.

Fredericton, 31st December, 1857.

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The Diocesan Church Society of New Brunswick, in Account with W. J. BEDELL, *Treasurer.*

Missionary Visits.

1857.	Vouchers. No.				£	s.	d.
Jan'y.	1.	Paid	Rev. C. F. Street,	Ludlow and Nelson,	£25	0	0
	2.	"	C. P. Bliss,	Springfield,	15	0	0
	3.	"	D. J. Wetmore,	Welford,	15	0	0
	4.	"	William Jaffrey,	Saint Mary's,	15	0	0
	5.	"	H. B. Nichols,	Woodstock,	10	0	0
	6.	"	Thomas Hartin,	Canterbury, &c.	15	0	0
	7.	"	J. S. Thomson,	Saint David,	12	10	0
	9.	"	W. H. Tippett,	Queensbury,	15	0	0
	10.	"	T. W. Street,	Saint Stephen,	12	10	0
	12.	"	William Boyer,	Moncton,	7	10	0
	13.	"	George Bedell,	Lancaster,	15	0	0
	20.	"	J. W. Disbrow,	Simonds,	7	10	0
	21.	"	J. S. Thomson,	Saint David,	12	10	0
	22.	"	G. C. Wiggins,	Peterseville, &c.	15	0	0
Feb'y.	28.	"	J. S. Williams,	Campobello,	10	0	0
April.	31.	"	P. W. Loosemore,	Prince William, &c.	15	0	0
	32.	"	D. J. Wetmore,	Welford,	15	0	0
	33.	"	William Jaffrey,	Saint Mary's,	15	0	0
	34.	"	George Bedell,	Lancaster,	20	0	0
	35.	"	J. S. Thomson,	Saint David,	15	0	0
	36.	"	W. N. Boyer,	Moncton,	7	10	0
	37.	"	J. S. Williams,	Campobello,	10	0	0
	38.	"	G. G. Roberts,	Douglas,	7	10	0
	39.	"	C. P. Bliss,	Springfield,	15	0	0
	40.	"	J. W. Disbrow,	Simonds,	7	10	0
			Carried forward,		£330	0	0

1857.	Vouchers No.						
		Brought forward,			£330	0	0
April.	41.	Paid Rev. G. C. Wiggins,	Petersville, &c.		15	0	0
	42.	" H. B. Nichols,	Woodstock,		10	0	0
	43.	" James Hudson,	Miramichi,		25	0	0
May.	44.	" H. W. Tippett,	Queensbury,		15	0	0
	45.	" C. F. Street,	Ludlow and Nelson,		30	0	0
	46.	" T. W. Street,	Saint Stephen,		12	10	0
June.	50.	" do.	Do. Salary to 1st June,		8	6	8
	51.	" H. B. Nichols,	Woodstock,		6	13	4
	53.	" Thomas Hartin,	Canterbury, &c.		15	0	0
July.	54.	" William Jaffrey,	Saint Mary's,		15	0	0
	55.	" C. P. Bliss,	Springfield,		15	0	0
	56.	" G. C. Wiggins,	Petersville, &c.		15	0	0
	57.	" P. W. Loosemore,	Prince William, &c.		15	0	0
	58.	" George Bedell,	Lancaster,		20	0	0
	59.	" D. J. Wetmore,	Welford,		15	0	0
	60.	" William N. Boyer,	Moncton,		7	10	0
	61.	" G. G. Roberts,	Douglas,		7	10	0
	62.	" C. F. Street,	Ludlow and Nelson,		30	0	0
	63.	" J. S. Williams,	Campobello,		10	0	0
	64.	" J. S. Thomson,	Saint David,		15	0	0
	65.	" J. W. Disbrow,	Simonds,		7	10	0
Oct.	67.	" D. J. Wetmore,	Welford,		15	0	0
	68.	" P. W. Loosemore,	Prince William, &c.		15	0	0
	69.	" H. B. Nichols,	Harvey & Hopewell, from 1st June to 1st Oct., 4 mos.		20	0	0
	70.	" C. P. Bliss,	Springfield,		15	0	0
	71.	" W. N. Boyer,	Moncton,		7	10	0
	72.	" George Bedell,	Lancaster,		20	0	0
	73.	" G. C. Wiggins,	Petersville, &c.		15	0	0
	74.	" William Jaffrey,	Saint Mary's,		15	0	0
	75.	" J. S. Williams,	Campobello,		10	0	0
	77.	" C. F. Street,	Bathurst,		5	0	0
	78.	" William Cruden,	Nelson, &c.		25	0	0
	79.	" W. H. Tippett,	Queensbury, 2 quarters,		30	0	0
	80.	" G. G. Roberts,	Douglas,		7	10	0
	81.	" J. W. Disbrow,	Simonds,		7	10	0
Dec.	83.	" C. P. Bliss,	Springfield,		15	0	0
	84.	" P. W. Loosemore,	Prince William, &c.		15	0	0
					£877	10	0

The Lord Bishop's Orders.

Feb.	26.	Paid Rev. W. Q. Ketchum,	Maryland,	£20	0	0
Nov.	82.	" C. F. Street,	Bathurst,	10	0	0
				£30	0	0

Churches and Chapels.

Jan.	14.	Paid Rev. W. H. Deveber,	Church at Londonderry,	£20	0	0
Feb.	23.	" " Dr. Wiggins,	Maugerville,	20	0	0
Oct.	76.	" E. A. Botsford, Esq.,	order Church at Sackville,	25	0	0
				£65	0	0

Widows and Orphans.

Feb.	25.	Paid Mrs. Stirling's order to Mr. Ketchum,		£25	0	0
	29.	" Mrs. E. Robertson's order to S. Hallett,		25	0	0
				£50	0	0

1857.	Vouchers No.				
		Parsonage Houses.			
Jan.	15.	Paid Rev. G. Bedell, Parsonage House, Lancaster,	£10	0	0
June	52.	" G. Carey, " " Grand Manan,	10	0	0
			£20	0	0
		Book Committee.			
Feb.	24.	Paid Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, rec'd. from Mr. Wright,	£ 5	0	0
	27.	" Book Committee, per order,	100	0	0
			£105	0	0
		Secretary's Salary.			
Jan.	16.	Paid Rev. W. Q. Ketchum,	£25	0	0
		Education.			
Jan.	11.	Paid Rev. James Neales, Richibucto,	£12	10	0
March.	30.	" W. H. Tippett, Queensbury,	12	10	0
Sept.	66.	" do. do.	12	10	0
			£37	10	0
		Grant to the Treasurer, . . .	£20	0	0
		Contingencies.			
Jan.	8.	Paid Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, per bill, . .	£1	6	7
	17.	" Expences of Printing, Chubb & Co., .	2	15	0
	18.	" R. Smith, per bill, . . .	1	12	5
	19.	" Expences, per bill, . . .	2	13	1½
June.	47.	" Secretary, per bill, . . .	2	8	9
	48.	" Hon. J. A. Street, Law Expences, .	12	14	6
	49.	" Barnes & Co., Printing Reports, . .	34	18	4
			£58	8	8½
		Treasurer's account for Postage and Stationery to date,	2	1	3
			£60	9	11½

RECAPITULATED.

Missionary Visits, ...	£877	10	0
The Lord Bishop's Orders, ...	30	0	0
Churches and Chapels, ...	65	0	0
Widows and Orphans, ...	50	0	0
Parsonage Houses, ...	20	0	0
Book Committee, ...	105	0	0
Secretary's Salary, ...	25	0	0
Education, ...	37	10	0
Grant to the Treasurer, ...	20	0	0
Contingencies, ...	60	9	11½
	£1,290	9	11½

E. & O. E.

W. J. BEDELL, TREASURER.

Fredericton, 31st December, 1857.

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Loans from the Funds of the Diocesan Church Society, 1857.

When Loaned.	To whom.	Date to which Interest has been paid.	Amount Loaned.
Sept. 5, 1848.	Amos Arnold,	Sept. 5, 1856.	£100 0 0
" 15, "	Archibald M'Lean.	" 15, 1857.	209 1 6
" 16, "	J. F. W. Winslow.	" 15, "	100 0 0
" 17, 1852.	William M'Keen.	" 17, 1856.	100 0 0
" 8, 1850.	John Dibblee.	" 8, 1857.	150 0 0
Feb'y. 14, 1852.	C. P. Wetmore.	Nov. 1, "	100 0 0
Oct. 16, "	J. A. Maclauchlan.	Oct. 16, "	250 0 0
" 15, "	E. W. Miller.	" 7, 1853.	170 0 0
Feb'y. 2, 1854.	William Lawrence.	Nov. 2, 1857.	130 0 0
May 2, "	William Plant.	Nothing paid.	75 0 0
Oct. 19, 1855.	Water Company.	Rec'd. £37 10s.	200 0 0
			£1,584 1 6

Fredericton, 31st Dec., 1857. W. J. BEDELL, TREASURER.

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Statement of Funds of the Diocesan Church Society.

Balance per last Audit,		£618 0 3
Contributions, per Account A.,		1,150 17 1½
Collections in Churches, "		218 5 4
Interest received since last Audit, "		93 19 8
		£2,081 2 4½
Paid per Account B.,		1,290 9 11½
		£790 12 5
In Central Bank,	£439 1 2	
" Bank of New Brunswick,	388 1 5	
	£827 2 7	
Balance due the Treasurer, overpaid in Bank of New Brunswick,	36 10 2	
Funds on hand in Bank of N. B. and Central Bank,		£790 12 5

E. & O. E. W. J. BEDELL, TREASURER.

Abstract Account of the Fredericton Book Depository Committee of the Diocesan Church Society, from 31st Dec. 1856 to 31st Dec. 1857.

1856.		
Dec. 31.	Books on hand this date,	£147 5 3
	Books received from the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge during the year,	111 19 5
	Diocesan Hymn Books received from Messrs. M'Millan,	30 0 0
		£289 4 8

1856.	CONTRA.		
Dec. 31.	Books issued on account of grants,	£59 0 5	
	Books sold during the year,	45 7 0½	
	Balance of Stock,	184 17 2½	
			£289 4 8

CASH ACCOUNT.

1857.					
Jan. 1.	Balance on hand this date,		£17	7	11½
Dec. 31.	Amount of sales during the year,		45	7	0½
	Grant to Fredericton Depository,		50	0	0
			£112	15	0

CONTRA.

1857.							
Feb. 5.	Paid Central Bank Bill Exch. £40 10s. stg.	£50	0	0			
Oct. 17.	" do. do. £20 stg.,	24	4	6			
Dec. 31.	" Commission to Depositor, Freight, &c.	11	6	8			
" 31.	Cash Balance on hand,	27	3	9½			
					£112	15	0

SUMMARY.

Balance of Cash,	£ 27	3	9½
" of Stock,	184	7	2½
	£211	11	0

Examined and approved.

GEORGE COSTER,
Chairman Depository Committee.

Fredericton, Jan. 2d, 1858.

MEMORANDUM.

Monies received by the Secretary for the importation of Books for the year 1857.

1857.				
Jan. 23.	Order on the Treasurer for grants to the Depositories,	£100	0	0
" 30.	Amount received from W. Wright, Esq., Saint John Depository, through the Treasurer,	5	0	0
Oct. 17.	Amt. received from S. R. Miller, Fredericton Depository,	24	4	6
		£129	4	6

CONTRA

1857.							
Feb. 7.	Paid for Bill Exchange to Central Bank, £85 10s. sterling, at 10½ per cent.	£105	0	0			
Oct. 17.	Paid for Bill of Exchange, Central Bank, £20 sterling, at 10½ per cent.,	24	4	6			
					£129	4	6

WILLIAM Q. KETCHUM, SECRETARY.

Fredericton, January 2d, 1858.

Abstract Account of the Saint John Depository Committee of the Diocesan Church Society, from 31st Dec. 1856 *to* 31*st Dec.* 1857.

STOCK ACCOUNT.

1857.				
Jan. 1.	Balance this date on hand, per last account,	£80	3	5½
Dec. 31.	Hymn Books received into the Depository,	10	6	3
" 31.	Books imported during this year,	61	4	10
		£151	14	6½

CONTRA.

Books issued on grants this year,	£63	5	3	
Do. sold during this year,	11	15	0½	
Balance of Stock on hand,	76	14	3	
				£151 14 6½

CASH ACCOUNT.

1857.							
Jan. 1.	Balance on hand this date, per last account,				£25	16	8
	Amount of Society's grant this year,				50	0	0
	" sales during this year,				11	15	0½
					£87	11	8½

CONTRA.

1857.							
Jan. 15.	Paid J. & A. M'Millan for Hymn Books,	£19	13	9			
" 24.	Order on Treasurer in favor of Secretary of Society, for amount of grant, to include remittance for Books,	50	0	0			
" 30.	This amount sent to Secretary of Society for like purpose,	5	0	0			
April 22.	Paid insurance of Books imported, £85 cy. at 2½ per cent.—one-third due by Fredericton Depository,	2	7	6			
	Paid duty on Books imported this year,	1	4	5			
	" Blank Book for Grants,	0	2	0			
	" Cartage, &c.,	0	2	9			
	" Commission on Grants, £63 5s. 3d.	6	6	6			
	" do. on sales, £11 15s. 0½d.	1	15	3			
	Balance on hand this date,	0	19	6½			
					£87	11	8½

SUMMARY.

Balance of Stock,	£76	14	8
Balance of Cash,	0	19	6½
	£77	13	9½

Examined and approved at a meeting of the Saint John Depository Committee, 5th January, 1858.

WILLIAM WRIGHT, *Secretary, &c.* FRED. COSTER, *Chairman.*

SCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATIONS

MADE BY THE

CHURCH SOCIETY OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

1838 to 1853.	See 17th Report, page 38–42,				£9,988	15	6
1853 to 1856.	See 20th Report, page 44,				13,891	4	1
1857.	See 21st Report, page 45,				1,400	0	0
1858.	Missionary Purposes,	£1,240	0	0			
	Widows' Pensions,	50	0	0			
	Education—Sons of Clergy —7th Object Fund,	50	0	0			
	Books,	150	0	0			
	Treasurer and Secretary,	50	0	0			
	Contingencies,	60	0	0			
					£1,600	0	0
					£26,879	19	7

LIST OF CONTRIBUTORS

TO THE DIOCESAN CHURCH SOCIETY OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

Life Members.

By the payment of not less than Ten Pounds at any one time.—Those marked with *A. S.* are also Annual Subscribers.

1838. BAILLIE, Hon. THOMAS.
COSTER, Venerable Archdeacon, V. P., *A. S.*
MACLAUCHLAN, JAMES A. Esquire, *A. S.*
WETMORE, JUSTUS S. Esquire, *A. S.*

1839. BOTSFORD, Hon. WILLIAM, V. P., *A. S.*
ROBINSON, Hon. F. P., *A. S.*
SCOVIL, Rev. WILLIAM, *A. S.*
SIMONDS, Hon. CHARLES, V. P., *A. S.*

1840. PARKER, Hon. NEVILLE, Master of the Rolls, V. P. *A. S.*
ROBINSON, Colonel John, V. P. *A. S.*

1842. RATCHFORD, E. D. W. Esquire.

1843. SMITH, HENRY BOWYER, Esquire, V. P. *A. S.*

1845. COLEBROOKE, His Excellency Sir WILLIAM, M. G., C. B., K. H., late Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

1846. FREDERICTON, The Right Reverend JOHN, Lord Bishop of President, *A. S.*
GILBERT, GEORGE G. Esquire.
PARKER, Hon. Mr. Justice, *A. S.*
SAUNDERS, Hon. JOHN S., V. P., *A S*
SMITH, G. SIDNEY, *A. S.*
TILLEY, Hon. S. L., V. P. *A. S.*
WIGGINS, STEPHEN, Esquire, *A. S.*
WIGGINS, FREDERICK A. Esquire, V. P. *A. S.*

1847. READE, ALFRED, Esquire.
SEARS, EDWARD, Esquire, *A. S.*
WIGGINS, Mrs. STEPHEN, *A. S.*

1848. HENDERSON, EDMOND, Captain R. E.

1849. HEAD, His Excellency Sir EDMUND WALKER, Baronet, late Lieutenant-Governor and Commander-in-Chief, &c. &c.

1850. FAIRWEATHER, JOSEPH, Esquire, *A. S.*
DESBRISAY, L. P. W., Esquire, *A. S.*

1851. SCOVIL, DANIEL, Esquire, *A. S.*
SCOVIL, W. HENRY, Esquire, *A. S.*

1852. SMITH, HENRY BOWYER, Junior, *A. S.*
SCOVIL, EDWARD G. *A. S.*

1853. SCOVIL, Mrs. W. H, *A. S.*

1854. MANNERS-SUTTON, His Excellency The Honorable J. H. T., Lieut. Governor and Commander-in-Chief, &c. &c., Patron, *A. S.*
SCOVIL, A. ISABEL, *A. S.*
NEALES, Rev. JAMES, *A. S.*

1855. SIMONDS, Mrs. RICHARD, Senior, *A. S.*

1856. SCOVIL, Miss AMELIA B. *A. S.*
BEDELL, Rev. G., *A. S.*

1857. HANINGTON, DANIEL J.

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 1857.

ANDOVER AND GRAND FALLS.

Armstrong, Mrs. Jas. A.	£0	2	6
Baird, Adam		2	6
Baird, Mrs. A.		2	6
Baird, George		2	6
Baird, Mrs. George		2	6
Beardsley, Mrs. Paul		5	0
Beardsley, John D.		5	0
Beckwith, F. E. High Sheriff,		10	0
Beckwith, Harriet		5	0
Beckwith, Charles E.		5	0
Bedell, Mrs.		12	6
Bedell, H. Jane		2	6
Bedell, William C.		1	3
Bedell, Thomas P.		1	3
Bedell, Elizabeth		1	3
Bedell, Agnes		1	3
Cash,		5	0
Cox, George		10	0
Curry, William		5	0
Curry, Mrs. William		2	6
Emmerson, John	1	0	0
Graham, Samuel		10	0
Hammond, Mrs. Chas. A.		10	0
Harper, Aaron		2	6
Hart, N. B.		5	0
K.		5	0
Lamoreux, Edwin W.		10	0
Lamoreux, Mrs.		5	0
Lamoreux, Alice		2	6
Lamoreux, Herbert		2	6
Lamoreux, David		10	0
Maclauchlan, Mr. and Mrs.	1	0	0
M'Donald, Harriet		3	1½
Miller, William		2	6
Miller, Mrs. W.		2	6
Miller, Andrew Junr.		2	6
Missionary, S. P. G.	2	0	0
Newcomb, William R.		5	0
Pickett, Lewis,	1	0	0
Pickett, Mrs. D.		5	0
Pickett, Willet		5	0
Rainsford, A. W.	1	0	0
Rainsford, Osmond		5	0
Raymond, D. B.		5	0
Raymond, Mrs.		5	0
Reed, Mrs.		5	0
Scott, William		10	0
Squires, Mrs.		3	1½
Two years' subscriptions,	1	0	0
Thompson, Mrs.		1	11
Watson, William		5	0
Watson, Mrs. William		2	6
1st half-yearly collection,	2	17	6
2d do. do.	2	10	0
	£23	3	2

BATHURST, SALMON BEACH, NEW BANDON, SHIPPEGAN, AND DALHOUSIE.

Baldwin, Henry W.	£0	6	3
Barry, Henry		2	6
Bishop, Dr. S. L.		5	0
Buttimore, Robert		5	0
Buttimore, Abraham		2	6
Buttimore, Henry		2	6
Buttimore, Anne		1	3
Carman, Thomas H.		5	0
Carman, Mrs. T. H.		2	6
Carman, Samuel			11
Carter, Mrs. J. T.		2	6
Desbrisay, Theophilus		10	0
Desbrisay, Lestock, Junr.		1	3
Desbrisay, A. Normand		1	3
Doran, Mary		2	6
Ellis, Robert		5	0
End, Mrs.		5	0
Forbes, John		1	3
Friend, A		10	0
Friend, A		1	3
Glendinning, John		2	6
Glendinning, J. Junr.		1	3
Glendinning, Margaret			7½
Glendinning, Eliza Jane			7½
Hodnett, James		1	6
Jagoe, Walter		5	0
Miller, Thomas		5	0
Miller, Samuel		2	6
Miller, Joseph		1	3
Miller, Richard		2	6
Miller, Mrs.		1	3
Miller, R. Junr.		1	3
Miller, Thomas Junr.		5	0
M'Dowell, Alexander		1	6
M'Phail, Mrs.		2	6
O'Brien, Mrs.		5	0
Read, Mrs.	1	0	0
O'Brien, John		5	0
Raitt, Mrs.		2	0
Smith, George		5	0
Smith, Henry B.		5	0
Smith, John		5	0
Smith, Joseph		1	3
Sutherland, George		5	0
Street, Rev. C. F.	1	0	0
Weldon, B. W.		2	6
White, George		1	3
White, Sarah			7
Willis, Jasper		5	0
Wilson, George		5	0
COLLECTIONS.			
St. George's, Bathurst,	2	2	3
New Bandon,		17	0
Shippegan,	1	18	0
Dalhousie,	1	10	0
	£16	2	6

BLACKVILLE AND NELSON.

NELSON.

A Churchman,	£0	3	7½
A Friend,		7	6
Allison, Mrs.		2	6
Ambrose, Thomas		3	9
Bateman, Mrs. and family,		5	9
Barron, David		5	0
Betts, Jared		5	0
Burchill, George		3	1½
Cruden, Mrs.	1	0	0
Cruden, William M.	1	0	0
Cruden, Rev. William		15	0
Cochran, James		2	6
Cochran, Mrs.		1	3
Cremault, Mrs.		1	3
Harley, John		5	0
Harley, William		5	0
Harley, Charles		2	6
Hartt, Daniel		5	0
Hartt, John		2	6
Hartt, William		2	6
Hewson, Davis		5	0
M'Kenzie, Mrs.		2	6
M'Kenzie, William		2	6
Newman, John		2	6
Poke, Mrs. and family,		5	0
Ripple, Thomas		5	0
Saunders, Mrs.		2	6
Saunders, Sarah		2	6
Vye, Samuel		5	0
Vye, William Henry		5	0
Vye, Benjamin		5	0
Vye, Charles		3	6
Vye, William		3	6
Vye, Joseph		3	0
Weston, Thomas		2	6
Weston, Mrs.		1	3
Weston, Matilda		1	3
Willoughby, Mrs.		2	6
Wells, George		1	3
Collections in Church from July 5 to Dec. 31,	2	4	8½
Formerly by Rev. C. F. Street, . .	1	17	6
Offering after churching,		1	3
Sale of Books,		17	4
Do. do.		11	7
	£14	12	4

BLACKVILLE.

Subscriptions, .	£2	3	9½
Collections in Church from July 5 to Dec. 31,	1	5	10
Formerly by Rev. C. F. Street, . . .		19	6
Offerings after Churchings,		6	3
Sale of Books,		5	5
Special Contribution,	1	0	0
	£6	0	9½

CAMBRIDGE.

Dykeman, B. M.	£0	5	0
Friend, A		2	6
Knight, Samuel		5	0
Orchard, Robert Senr.		5	0
Orchard, Robert Junr.		2	6
Scovil, Samuel J.	6	0	0
Slocombe, Mrs.		1	3
Snodgrass, Mr.		1	3
Smith, Mrs.		1	3
Wood, Susan Scott		2	6
Wood, Abraham,		1	3
Woodforde, J. M. W.		1	3
Wiggins, Stephen		5	0
Wiggins, John Senr.		2	6
Wiggins, Mrs. J.		2	6
Wiggins, Mrs. E.		3	0
Wiggins, Mrs. John		1	3
Wiggins, John Junr.		1	3
Wiggins, Betsy R.		1	3
Wiggins, J. R.		1	3
	£8	1	9

CAMPOBELLO.

Batson, Hibbert F.	£0	2	6
Byron, Luke		5	0
Byron, Mary		2	6
Brown, Major		5	0
Calder, James		2	6
Chapman, Richard		1	3
Flagg, Mrs. William		2	6
Flagg, Price		5	0
Flagg, Arthur		2	6
Flagg, Mrs. Arthur		2	6
Flagg, Cadwallader		3	1½
Kay, Mrs.		2	6
Kendrick, Nancy		3	1½
Kendrick, Mrs.		1	3
M'Donald, John		1	3½
Mitchell, Daniel		1	3
Moses, Captain		10	0
Moses, Mrs.		5	0
Moses, Henry		2	6
Moses, Madeline		2	6
Patch, Joseph		5	0
Patch, Widow		1	3
Rice, Isaac		2	6
Robinson, Hon. Capt. J. J.	1	0	0
Robinson, Mrs.	1	0	0
Robinson, Miss		5	0
Stimpson, Thaddeus		2	6
Sumner, Chauncey		3	1½
Swim, Joseph		1	3
Swim, Mrs.		1	3
Vennell, John		5	0
Williams, Rev. John S.	1	0	0
Williams, Mrs. John S.	1	0	0
Collections in June,	2	3	5½

Collections in October,	£2	2	7
Sale of Books,		13	4½
Additional,		4	6
	£13	15	0

CARLETON.

Avery, R.	£0	5	0
Coster, Rev. F.	1	0	0
Coster, G. J.		5	0
M'Lauchlan, Mrs.		10	0
Mayes, S.		5	0
Nase, H.		5	0
Noble, J.	1	0	0
Peters, Dr.		5	0
Ritchie, J.		5	0
Stackhouse, J. Senr.		10	0
Strange, S.		10	0
Ward, Dr.		10	0
Ward, Mrs.		10	0
Collection,	3	6	6
	£9	6	6

CHATHAM.

A Friend,	£0	5	0
Bacon, Rev. Samuel	1	0	0
Berton, William J.	1	0	0
Burchell, George Junr.		5	0
Burchell, George Senr.		1	0
Brown, John		5	0
Blair, G. A.		5	0
Baldwin, Daniel		5	0
Baldwin, John		5	0
Baldwin, Alexander		5	0
Brehaut, T. S.		5	0
Bell, John		5	0
Bell, G. G. and Emily		2	6
Bass, David		5	0
Burr, John		2	6
Bathurst—collected at St. George's,		10	0
Cunard, Henry	1	10	0
Copping, Isaac		5	0
Cameron, Mary		1	3
Evans, William M. S.	1	0	0
Danford, W.		2	6
Dunlop, William		5	0
Flieger, Thomas		3	0
Fenety, William		5	0
Fenety, James		5	0
Fairman, Richard		2	6
Gibbs, Arthur		5	0
Gillespie, Thomas,		5	0
Gremley, Charles		5	0
Harley, John		5	0
Hocken, Richard		5	0
Joseph, Sophia	1	0	0
Jackson, John		2	6
Jackson, Anthony		2	6
Johnson, John M. Senr.	£0	10	0
Johnson, Mrs. E.		10	0
Johnson, Hon. J. M.		15	0
Johnson, William		5	0
Lloyd, Philip		5	0
Letson, William		7	6
Letson, Henry Herbert		2	6
Loye, Hannah		2	6
M'Culley, Caleb		5	0
M'Cullum, Louisa		2	6
Millar, George		2	6
Mudge, Nicholas		5	0
Moore, Mrs.		5	0
Peters, Hon. Thomas H.	1	3	4
Percival, John		5	0
Percival, Catherine		5	0
Parker, George		5	0
Parker, Mrs. George		5	0
Do. Sunday school class,		9	[illegible]
Parker, Miss		5	[illegible]
Palmer, William		2	6
Peck, Sherwood		5	0
Russell, John		5	0
Samuel, William E.		7	6
Samuel, James		7	6
Searle, Michael		5	0
Smith, George		2	6
Siccles, William		5	0
Trevors, Mrs. Richard		5	0
Trevors, David		5	0
Thompson, Robert		5	0
Thompson, Margaret		1	3
Thompson, Mary		1	3
Vondy, Thomas		5	0
Vanstone, Charles		5	0
Wright, John	1	0	0
Wright's, Miss, Sunday-school class,	1	8	0
Williston, J. T. Williston,		5	0
Wilkinson, William	1	0	0
Wilkinson, Eliza Bacon		5	0
Wilkinson, William James		5	0
Wilson, John		5	0
First Collection,	3	5	0
Second do.	2	17	0
	£32	7	7

DOUGLAS.

Blizzard, Elizabeth	£0	3	1½
Brewer, Stephen G.		2	6
Brewer, Moses		1	3
Burt, Abraham		5	0
Burt, Thomas		5	0
Burt, Jeremiah		3	1½
Burt, Peter		1	3
Burt, Israel		1	0
Burt, George		2	6
Burt, Oliver		2	6
Burt, Jedediah		2	6

Burt, Jarvis	£0	2	6
Clanfield, Henry		5	0
Clements, George		5	0
Clements, Frederick		5	0
Colter, Alexander		5	0
Close, Miss		2	6
Curry, Mrs. William		2	6
Curry, Ross		2	6
Curry, Mrs. Ross		2	6
Currie, Mrs. John		5	0
Currie, Mrs. William		5	0
Donelly, George			7½
Estey, Henry			7½
Foshay, Sylvester		5	0
Foshay, James		5	0
Foshay, Mrs. James		2	6
Foshay, F. C. and M.		1	10½
Fowler, Stephen		5	0
Fowler, Thomas		1	3
Fowler, Isaac		2	6
Fowler, Moses		1	6
Gourly, William		2	6
Gowrley, Joseph		2	6
Jones, Mrs. John		5	0
Lawrence, Moses and family,		5	0
Lawrence, Oliver		2	6
Lawrence, Jesse		1	3
Lawrence, Albert			7½
Long, Captain		10	2½
Manson, Miss		7	6
M'Keen, Jacob		5	0
M'Keen, Mrs. Jacob		3	1½
M'Keen, Mrs. George		3	1½
M'Keen, Abraham		5	0
M'Keen, Mrs. Abraham		5	0
Morehouse, Daniel			7½
Morehouse, Adonijah		1	3
Murray, Robert		1	3
Pidgeon, Edward		10	0
Pidgeon, Mrs. George		10	0
Roberts, Rev. G. G.	1	0	0
Robinson, Col. John	2	0	0
Robinson, Mrs. John	1	0	0
Robinson, T. Barclay		5	0
Robinson, J Delancey		5	0
Robinson, Major Frederick	1	10	0
Rogers, Jeremiah		2	6
Seovil, Bessie		3	1½
Seymour, William		3	1½
Sloot, Robert		5	0
Sloot, Mrs. Robert		2	6
Sloot, Mrs. Benjamin		2	6
Sloot, Elias		5	0
Smith, Mrs.		2	6
Smith, Harriet,		1	3
Smith, Saumel J.		10	0
Smith, the Misses		3	9
Smith, Joseph		5	0
Smith, Mrs. Joseph		2	6
Smith, Charity Elizabeth		1	3
Smith, Susan	£0	1	3
Smith, James E.		1	3
Staples, Henry		2	6
Staples, Mrs. Henry		2	6
Staples, Mrs. John		2	6
Stone, Aaron		1	3
Turner, Mrs. John		2	6
Tomlinson, James		5	0
Tomlinson, Mrs James		1	3
Tomlinson, Robert		5	0
Tomlinson, Martha		1	9
Tomlinson, Jane		1	3
Tomlinson, Thomas		1	3
Waller, Henry		1	3
Waller, Purvis		2	6
Warren, Edith		1	3
Williams, Mrs.		1	3
Williams, Anne		2	6
Wright, Captain		5	0
Wright, Thomas		2	6
Wright, Miss		2	6
Wright, Emma		2	6
Yerxa, Allan		5	0
Yerxa, William K.		2	6
1st Semi-annual Sermons,	2	7	11½
2d do. do.	1	15	2
	£24	8	2½

FREDERICTON AND NEW MARYLAND.

FREDERICTON.

Allen, J. C.	£1	0	0
Ashfield, Mrs.		5	0
Akerley, S A.	1	10	0
A little girl,			7½
Block, Alexander		10	7
Bird, Charlotte		2	6
Birchill, James		5	0
Bonnell, Mrs.		5	0
Bailey, Miss		5	0
Burton, Miss		10	0
Black, Hon. Wm.	1	0	0
Bedell, W. J.	1	0	0
Bedell, Mrs.		5	0
Bedell, A. Rankin		5	0
Beckwith, J. A.		10	0
Coster, Ven. Archdeacon	7	10	0
Cadwallader, Wm.		5	0
Campbell, G. M.	2	2	0
Carman, Wm.	1	5	0
Carman, Miss		10	0
Carman, Miss A. E.		5	0
Cheyne, Capt. R. N.,	1	0	0
Carter, Hon. Chief Justice	5	0	0
Coster, Rev. C. G.	1	0	0
Cheyne, Miss		5	0
Cheyne, S. F.		5	0
Daubeny, Lt. Col. 62d Regt.	1	0	0
Dibblee, G. J. and Mrs.	1	10	0
Emmerson, Mrs.		5	0
Eggar, John and Mrs.		7	6

Eggar, Mrs.	£0	5	0
Fayerweather, Miss		10	0
Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. E. B.	1	0	0
Fairweather, H.	1	10	0
Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. W.		10	0
Fredericton, Bishop of	20	0	0
Fisher, Hon. C. and Mrs.	2	0	0
Gregg, Mrs.		7	6
Gregor, Mrs.		10	0
Gregory, John	1	0	0
Grosvenor, Wm.		15	0
Graham, John		5	0
Hanington, Daniel J.	10	0	0
Hayne, Colonel	1	0	0
Horne, Julia		3	9
Hopkins, Miss		10	0
Hartt, Mrs. J. M.		5	0
Hunter, Capt. 62d Regt.		10	0
Kerr, Lieut. 62d Regt.		8	0
Lister, John R. M.		10	0
Leslie, Mrs.		5	0
Lee, Mrs.	1	0	0
Lugrin, Mrs. G. K.		5	0
Lugrin, Miss H.		5	0
Lugrin, Laura		2	6
Lugrin, George D.		2	6
Lipsitt, Andrew		5	0
Legh, Lieut. Col. and Mrs.	1	4	4
Member of the Church,	2	0	0
Manners-Sutton, His Excellency J. H. T., Lieutenant Governor,	20	0	0
Myshrall, J.		10	0
Mitchell, Alexander	1	0	0
Medley, J. B. Rev.	1	0	0
Medley, C.	1	0	0
Millar, S. R.		10	0
Mount, Sarah		2	6
Miller, Jacob		5	0
Morrow, Mary Jane		5	0
Maghean, John		2	6
Maghean, Mrs. John		2	6
Maghean, Mrs.		5	0
Maghean, Matilda		5	0
Maghean, Robert Andrew		5	0
Maghean, Rachael		2	6
Moore, H.	1	0	0
Moore, Jane		10	0
Moore, John	1	0	0
Mattheson, Mrs.		5	0
Moore, James and Mrs.	1	0	0
Moore, William		10	0
Needham, Mark	1	0	0
Odell, W. H. Hon.	1	0	0
Odell, Mrs.	1	0	0
Parsons, Elizabeth		5	0
Partelow, John R. Hon.	1	0	0
Parker, Miss	1	0	0
Parker, Hon. Neville	4	0	0
Phair, A. S.		10	0
Pattison, George	£0	10	0
Paisley, William		10	0
Robinson, H.	1	0	0
Roberts, George	2	0	0
Ryan, Mrs.		5	0
Ryan, John		5	0
Robb, J., M D.	1	0	0
Robinson, W. H. & Co.	2	0	0
Swim, Amelia J.		10	0
Swim, Emma		10	0
Stirling, Mrs.		10	0
Smith, Anthony		5	0
Smith, Richard		2	6
Segee, W. V.		10	0
Shore, Mrs.	2	0	0
Shives, A.	2	0	0
Seymour, Lydia		2	6
Simonds, E.	1	10	0
Sawyer, Lieut. 62d Regt.		12	6
Scott, Lieut. 62d Regt.		8	0
Street, J. A. Hon.	2	0	0
Street, Mrs. J. A.		10	0
Street, the Misses		10	0
Simpson, John	1	10	0
Stratton, F. A. H.	2	0	0
Scott, Miss		5	0
Saunders, Hon. J. S.	1	0	0
Thomas, John		10	0
Tilley, S. L. Hon.	2	0	0
Toldervy, Dr. and Mrs.	1	10	0
Turnbull, G., D. A. C.		10	0
Williams, Edward		6	3
Wilson, Miss		5	0
Wallace, Mrs.		2	6
Wallace, James F.		2	6
Wallace, Mary		1	3
Wallace, Ann		1	3
Wilkinson, John	2	10	0
Whelpley, R.		5	0
Waundless, Henry		5	0
Wolhaupter, George		10	0
Wilmot, E. H. and Mrs	2	0	0
Woodman, Miss		5	0
Wallace, George		5	0
Yardy, Edward		5	0
Young, D. 62d Regiment		10	0
A member of the Church,	1	0	0
June collection, Cathedral,	30	1	7
October do. do.	20	9	3
June do. Christ Church,	8	1	8
October do. do.	6	1	3
	£219	9	10
H., by the Bishop of Fredericton,	£5	0	0

NEW MARYLAND.

Duncan, Barbara	£0	1	3
Dunbar, William		3	0
Fisher, Mrs. Henry Senr.		2	6

Fisher, Lewis	£0	5	0
Fisher, Henry		5	0
Fisher, Mrs. Henry		2	6
Fisher, Henry S.			7½
Fisher, William M.			7½
Fletcher, Edward		2	6
Fletcher, Ann		1	3
Fletcher, Rebecca		1	3
Friend,		5	0
Graham, William		3	1½
Graham, Mrs. William		2	6
Horncastle, Joseph		5	0
Horncastle, Mrs. Joseph		5	0
Horncastle, William C.		1	3
Horncastle, James		1	3
Horncastle, Edwin		3	1½
Haining, James		5	0
Haining, Alexander		1	3
Ketchum, Rev. W. Q.	1	0	0
Lindsey, James		2	6
Lindsey, Mrs. James		2	6
Lord, John		1	3
Moore, Hugh S.		1	3
M'Knight, Samuel		2	6
M'Knight, Mrs. Samuel		1	3
M'Knight, William		2	6
M'Knight, John		5	0
M'Knight, Mrs. John		2	6
Whittaker, Joseph		2	6
Whittaker, W.		2	6
June Collection,		15	4
October do.		15	0
January do.		7	8
	£7	2	6

GLENELG, NEWCASTLE, &c.

Point Escuminac,	£1	7	7
Glenelg, Church of St. John the Evangelist,	6	4	7
Newcastle, St. Andrews,	12	5	1
Northesk,		19	7
Blissfield,		13	2
Ludlow,	2	15	7
Boiestown,	1	12	1
Offerings after Churchings,		7	1
Sale of Church Books,	2	14	9
	£28	19	6

GRAND MANAN.

Brown, William W.	£0	1	3
Brown, Mrs. William W.		1	3
Brown, Levi, and Mrs.		2	6
Carey, Rev. G. T.		10	0
Carey, Mrs. G. T.		10	0
Chaney, Samuel		1	3
Chaney, Mrs. Samuel		1	3
Chaney, Temperance		1	3
Chaney, Charles			7½
Chaney, Alexander.	£0	1	3
Chaney, Mrs. Alexander		1	3
Craig, Cochran Esq.		2	6
Craig, Julia		1	3
Craig, Ann		1	3
Doggett, Mark Senr.		1	3
Doggett. Mrs. Mark		1	3
Doggett, Mark Junr.		1	3
Doggett, Louisa		1	3
Doggett, Mary		2	6
Doggett, William			6
Henderson, William H.		2	6
Ingolls, William Senr.		2	6
Ingolls, Mrs. William Senr.		2	6
Ingolls, Charles Junr.		5	0
Ingolls, Sarah Ann		1	3
Ingolls, Turner			7½
Ingolls, William Junr.		5	0
Ingolls, Mrs. William Junr.		2	6
Levi, Albert		2	6
M'Keel, Mrs. Isaac		1	3
Newton, Philip Senr.		5	0
Newton, Mrs. Philip		2	6
Newton, Philip Junr.		1	3
Newton, Miranda		1	3
Newton, Isaac		5	0
Russell, Eunice		2	6
Wills, George		2	6
Collected after sermons,		10	0
	£5	0	0

GREENWICH AND PETERSVILLE.

GREENWICH.

Andrews, David	£0	1	3
Brown, Charles		1	3
Brown, Mrs. Charles		1	3
Brown, Hugh		1	3
Belyea, Lewis A.		2	5
Belyea, James		2	6
Belyea, Joseph W.		2	6
Belyea, Robert		1	3
Belyea, Charles B.		2	6
Belyea, Charles A.		1	3
Belyea, Samuel F.		1	2½
Belyea, Joseph		2	6
Belyea, Benjamin		2	6
Belyea, William P.		1	3
Burgess, Robert		2	6
Brundage, Thomas			6
Buxton, Jane E.		2	6
Boyle, Thomas		1	3
Belyea, Joseph M.			6
Brundage, Ezra		1	3
Belyea, John,		1	3
Crabb, John		2	6
Crabb, James		1	3
Crabb, William		1	3
Craister, William		5	0
Crabb, Elias		1	6

Collins, Sarah	£0	1	3
Collins, Amanda		1	3
Day, James		2	6
Foster, Hamilton		1	3
Fanjoy, Edward		2	5
Flewelling, Ann E.		6	1
Flewelling, George		3	0
Flewelling, Nathaniel B.		2	6
Flewelling, Robert		1	3
Gorham, Daniel B.		2	6
Haviland, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob		5	0
Hamilton, Henry		1	3
Harvey, Jesse		5	0
Harvey, Henry		2	6
Harvey, Matilda		1	0
Jones, Humphrey		2	6
Jones, Collingwood		1	3
Johnson, Francis		1	3
Kenney, Patrick		2	6
Lyon, Edward		2	5
Lawson, Henry		2	6
Lindsay, George		2	6
M'Keel, W. B.	1	0	0
M'Keel, Mrs. W. B.		5	0
M'Keel, John G.		2	6
M'Keel, Adelaide E.		2	9
M'Keel, Joseph		2	6
M'Keel, David		2	5½
M'Beth, James		5	0
M'Leod, William		5	0
M'Leod, Hon. Mrs. W.		5	0
M'Leod, James		4	0
M'Bay, Joseph		1	3
Marley, Daniel		3	6
Mills, William B.		5	0
Nutter, William		2	6
Nase, Isaac H.		3	0
Neal, George J.		1	3
Orr, John		1	3
Peatman, Norris T.		5	0
Palmer, Joseph S.		5	0
Pitt, Isaac		3	0
Pitt, Abraham		2	6
Pitt, William Isaac		2	6
Pitt, John		1	3
Pitt, James E.		1	6
Price, William			7½
Price, John		1	3
Price, Allen D.			7½
Richards, W. D.		7	6
Richards, Charles		5	0
Richards, Zebulon		2	6
Richards, Jemima		1	3
Richards, Amy J.		1	3
Richards, Mrs. Joseph		5	0
Richards, Mrs. Thomas		1	3
Upton, Henry B.		2	6
Vanwart, William		5	0
Wilmot, J. L.		7	6
Wilmot, Mrs. J. L.		5	0
Worden, Gabriel	£0	5	0
Whelpley, Charlotte		10	0
Whelpley, Joseph		2	6
Whelpley, Daniel		2	6
Whelpley, Thomas		2	6
Williams, Olivia		2	6
Weldon, William		2	6
Weldon, Robert		3	0
Wallis, Charles		1	3
Wallis, Amara		1	3
Wallis, Jewel		1	3
Wallis, James Sen.		2	6
Wallis, Thomas		2	0
Wallis, Joseph		1	3
A Friend,		2	6
A Friend,		1	3
A Friend,		1	6
Collections,	2	3	6
	£16	7	6

PETERSVILLE.

R. Bayard, M. D.	£1	0	0

HAMPTON.

Bostwick, Mrs.	£0	1	3
Bradwell, Robert		5	0
Burns, Mrs. James		2	6
Bavard, Alexander		2	6
Crawford, Mrs.		5	0
Crawford, William		5	0
Crawford, Mrs. William		3	0
Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. George		5	0
Duffy, John		5	0
Demill, Thomas		5	0
Demill, Rufus		2	6
Demill, Edward		2	6
Demill, Charity		2	6
Demill, Eliza		1	3
Demill, George		5	0
Demill, James P.		2	6
Demill, Mrs. William		1	3
Demill, Mary		1	3
Earle, S. Z. Jr. M. D.		5	0
Fowler, Monmouth		5	0
Fowler, Henry		5	0
Fowler, Mrs. Henry		2	6
Fowler, Henrietta			6
Fitzgerald, Catherine		3	6
Hallett, Samuel Esq.	1	0	0
Hallett, Mrs.		10	0
Hallett, Henry		7	6
Jenks, Miss		2	0
Keator, Mrs.	1	0	0
Keator, J. D. M.		15	0
Kirk, Miss (for 1856),		5	0
Lyon, Miss		5	0
Langstroth, C. Esq.	1	0	0
Langstroth, C. C.		2	6
Matthew, R. S.		10	0

Martyr, Mr.	£0	10	0
Munger, Mrs.		5	0
Otty, Mrs. Allen		10	0
Palmer, Mr. and Mrs.		10	0
[illegible]ond, Mrs. Charles		1	3
[illegible]nd, Mrs. W.		[illegible]	[illegible]
Sim[illegible]s, Mrs.	3	[illegible]	0
Staunton, Captain	1	0	0
Smith, Ebenezer		7	6
Smith, Charles J.		5	0
Smith, Mrs. Charles		3	0
Smith, Margaret		2	6
Smith, Isabella		2	6
Smith, Joshua		5	0
Smith, Joshua		5	0
Sherwood, Mary		2	6
Walker, Rev. W.	1	0	0
Walker, Mrs.		5	0
Walker, Miss		5	0
Walker, M.		7	6
Walker, William		3	6
Walker, George		3	6
Walker, Mary		3	0
Walker, Elizabeth		2	6
Walker, Millidge		1	3
Walker, Thomas		5	0
Collections,	9	17	7
Collected by Mr. M. Keator.			
Dixon, William		2	6
Dixon, Albert		9	3
Dixon, Mrs. Joseph		5	0
Prince, Elias		3	9
Prince, Richard		1	3
Prince, Charles		1	3
Saunders, S. W.		2	6
Saunders, Sarah E.		1	3
	£32	3	10

HARVEY AND HOPEWELL.

Anderson, Owen	£0	2	6
Barberie, Oliver		5	0
Barberie, Mrs. O.		2	6
Barberie, Arnold		2	6
Bacon, Isaiah		5	0
Beckwith, John C.		2	6
Beckwith, Mrs. J. C.		2	6
Bennett, Joel		2	6
Brewster, William		2	6
Brewster, Mrs. P.		1	3
Brewster, John P.		3	9
Brewster, Lucy		1	3
Brewster, Eleanor		1	3
Brown, James		5	0
Brown, Mrs. James		2	6
Brown, Rachel		1	3
Brown, Sarah		1	3
Burke, Robert		1	6
Casey, William H.		2	6
Casey, Mrs. William H.		2	6
Cairnes, John	£0	2	6
Derry, Isaac		5	0
Fleming, James Senr.		2	0
Fleming, James Junr.		2	6
Fleming, Hugh		2	0
Gilbert, Thomas, High Sheriff,		10	0
Gilbert, Mrs. Thomas		5	0
Hallett, William		2	6
Hallett, Mrs. William		2	6
Keiver, Michael		5	0
Lang, George		10	0
Lang, Mrs. George		10	0
Morse, Samuel G.		10	0
Morse, Mrs. A.		5	0
M'Clelan, Abner R., M. P. P.		5	0
M'Fee, William		2	6
M'Farlan, Arnour		2	0
M'Farlan, Mrs. A.		2	0
Nichols, Rev. H. B.	1	0	0
Nichols, Celia		5	0
Peck, Jobiel		5	0
Peck, Abiel		5	0
Peck, Warren		2	6
Peck, Charles A.		2	6
Reed, Joseph S.		2	6
Reed, Mrs. Joseph S.		2	6
Rourk, William H.		5	0
Rourk, Mrs. William H.		2	6
Rourk, William H. Junr.		2	6
Russell, George		5	0
Stevens, Edward		5	0
Stevens, Elisha		5	0
Stevens, J. M.		2	6
Stevens, J. R.		2	6
Smith, Mrs. John		5	0
Vickery, Sarah		1	3
Wood, Isaac		5	0
Collections in churches,	1	10	0
	£12	10	9

HOWARD SETTLEMENT, CANTERBURY.

Anderson, Robert	£0	0	7½
Anderson, Mrs. Robert			7½
Cunningham, Thomas Senr.		1	3
Cunningham, Mrs. Thomas		1	3
Cunningham, Thomas Junr.		2	6
Cunningham, William Senr.		1	3
Cunningham, Margaret		1	3
Cunningham, Andrew		1	3
Cunningham, Thomas		1	3
Cunningham, James		1	3
Cunningham, Mrs. James		1	3
Cunningham, William		1	3
Cunningham, Mrs. William		1	3
Carroll, Patrick Senr.		1	3
Cripps, Mrs.		2	6
Dougherty, George		1	3
Dougherty, Mrs.			7½
Dow, John (Grass Lake)		2	6

English, James	£0	1	3
Grosvenor, S. F.		5	0
Graham, George		1	3
Graham, Mrs. George		1	3
Graham, Nancy		2	6
Graham, Edward		5	0
Graham, William Junr.		1	3
Graham, Mrs.		1	3
Hartin, Rev. Thomas		10	0
Hartin, Mrs.		10	0
Hartin, James			3
Hartin, Joseph Junr.		1	3
Hartin, Thomas Medley			7½
Hartin, Marcus		1	3
Hartin, Mrs.			7½
Hamilton, James		1	3
Hamilton, Mrs.		1	3
Heatherington, John Junr.		1	3
Heatherington, Mrs.		1	3
Heatherington, Elizabeth			7½
Jarvis, John		1	3
Muxon, John		1	3
Muxon, Mrs.		1	3
Maubray, Thomas		1	3
Maubray, Hugh		1	3
Maubray, Mrs.		1	3
M'Mullan, James			7½
M'Mullan, Mrs.			7½
M'Mullan, George		1	3
M'Mullan, James		1	3
M'Mullan, Andrew			7½
M'Mullan, Ann			7½
Miller, David			7½
Miller, Mrs. David			7½
M'Illroy, John Senr.		1	3
M'Illroy, Mrs. John		1	3
M'Illroy, Allen		1	3
M'Illroy, Mrs. Allen		1	3
M'Illroy, Archibald		1	3
M'Illroy, Mrs. Archibald		1	3
M'Illroy, Jero		1	3
M'Illroy, Mrs. Jero		1	3
M'Illroy, Ward		1	3
M'Illroy, Mrs. Ward		1	3
M'Illroy, William			7½
M'Kinney, Mr.		1	3
M'Kay, Hugh		1	3
M'Kay, Mrs.		1	3
M'Kay, Elizabeth Hughina		1	3
M'Kay, Barbara Allen		1	3
M'Kay, John		1	3
M'Neely, John			7½
M'Neely, Bessie		1	3
Robinson, James		1	3
Robinson, Mrs. James		1	3
Robinson, George Senr.		2	6
Robinson, Mrs.		2	6
Robinson, George		2	6
Smith, Thomas		1	3
Smith, Mrs. Thomas		1	3
Tripp, William	£0	2	6
Tripp, Mrs.		1	3
Tripp, Anne E.			7½
Winters, Nathaniel		2	6
Winters, Charles		1	3
Winters, Mrs. Charles		1	3
Worth, Godfrey		1	3
Worth, Mrs.		1	3
Walling, William		1	3
Walling, Mrs.		1	3
Walling, Hugh			7½
Wilson, Mrs.			7½
White, William		5	0
Collections after sermons,	1	2	6
	£8	5	2½

KINGSCLEAR.

Black, Rev. J.	£1	0	0
Black, W. A.		2	6
Burnett, John		3	1½
Cahill, Robert		1	3
Dunphy, Thomas		2	6
Dunphy, Amelia		1	3
Garden, George	1	0	0
Hartt, Sophia		1	3
Hartt, James		5	0
Hector, George		2	0
Inches, Julius		10	0
Lee, Hon. T. C.	2	0	0
Leek, William		3	1½
Leek, John		2	6
Leek, Morris		1	3
Leek, Harriet		1	3
Maclauchlan, James A.	1	0	0
M'Monagle, Miss		10	0
Murphy, Honora		1	3
Murray, Isaac		17	6
Murray, Mrs. Joseph		7	6
Nelson, James		5	0
O'Leary, Elizabeth		3	1½
Philips, Joseph		1	3
Payne, Joseph		2	6
Rainsford, Bartlett	1	7	6
Rainsford, A. W. Junr.		5	0
Rainsford, Mrs. C.		5	0
Russell, Mrs.		1	3
Smith, H. B.	1	0	0
Scovil, Mrs.	1	0	0
First Offertory Collection,	2	0	0
Second do. do.	1	7	6
	£16	11	4½

LANCASTER.

Armstrong, Robert	£0	5	0
Balcom, M. P.		5	0
Bedell, I. L.	1	0	0
Bedell, Rev. G.	1	0	0
Bird, James		5	0

Briscoe, Charles	£0	10	0
Carman, G. C.	1	0	0
Carman, Frederick M.		1	3
Cushing, Andre		10	0
Dunn, James		7	6
Ellman, William	1	0	0
Fair, Robert		5	0
Garbutt, Henry	1	0	0
Garbutt, Mrs. H.	1	0	0
Garbutt, Miss A. E. C.		5	0
Garbutt, Robert W.		5	0
Hastings, Aaron		5	0
Littlehale, J. C.		10	0
M'Crum, Anne		2	5
Marshall, John		5	0
Menzies, A.	1	0	0
Mount, Miss		5	0
Quinton, James		10	0
Spurr, J. DeW.	1	0	0
Sutton, —		5	0
Tilton, John		5	0
Thompson, Richard	1	0	0
Wetmore, Edwin		5	0
Wetmore, Stephen		5	0
Yeats, Alexander	1	0	0
1st semi-annual collections:			
St. Ann's, Lancaster,	1	10	0
St. John's, Manawagonish,	3	8	10
St. Thomas, Dipper Harbor,	1	10	8
2d semi-annual collections:			
St. Ann's,	1	10	0
St. John's,	1	0	9
St. Thomas'		13	0
	£25	9	5

MAUGERVILLE AND BURTON.

MAUGERVILLE.

Bailey, Charles	£0	5	0
Bailey, Mrs.		2	6
Bailey, Miss		2	6
Bailey, Thomas		2	6
Clowes, John		10	0
Covert, G. B.		10	0
DeVeber, F. A.		5	0
DeVeber, Miss		3	1½
Hatheway, C. L.		10	0
Milner, Miss		6	3
Perley, Thomas H.		2	6
Smith, George		5	0
Sterling, D. A.		2	6
Sterling, Mrs. D. A.		2	6
Wiggins, Rev. Dr.	1	0	0
Collections,	1	11	4
	£6	0	8½

BURTON.

Beckwith, Thomas	£0	5	0
Bliss, G. J.	1	0	0
Brown, William C.		5	0
Brown, G. L.	£0	2	6
Clowes, Charles H.	1	0	0
Clowes, G.	1	0	0
Cougle, Dr. E.		5	0
Gilbert, Bradford		10	0
Gilbert, W. J.		10	0
Hazen, Charles		5	0
Horton, Ebenezer		5	0
Hubbard, Nathaniel	1	0	0
Hubbard, Isabella		5	0
M'Pherson, J. K.		2	6
Street, Charles		5	0
White, James		5	0
Wilmot, Hon. R. D.	1	0	0
Collections,	3	6	7½
	£11	11	7½

MONCTON.

Agate, Mr.	£0	2	6
Agate, Mrs.		2	6
Binney, Stephen		5	0
Binney, Mrs.		5	0
Botsford, B.		1	10½
Beatty, J. H.		1	3
Chandler, E. B. Junr.		15	0
Chandler, Mrs.		10	0
Chandler, Emily		2	6
Chandler, W. B.		2	6
Cowling, E.		2	6
Cowling, Mrs.		2	6
Cowling, Mary		1	3
Cowling, Sarah			7½
Cowling, Annie			7½
Cowling, Samuel		1	3
Cutler, Miss		1	3
Cutler, M. A.		1	3
Cutler, J.		5	0
Clarke, A.		1	3
Dibblee, Frederick L.		10	0
Elliott, J.		1	3
Elliott, Mrs. J.		1	3
Entwistle, Mr.		2	6
King, Mrs.		5	0
Lunn, William		5	0
Lunn, Mrs.		5	0
Peters, B. A.		10	0
Stephens, Mr.		2	6
Stephens, Mrs.		2	6
Torry, William		1	8
Torry, Mrs.		1	8
Torry, Robert		1	8
Wood, S. S.		2	6
	£5	18	1½

NORTON.

Adams, Miss Mary	£0	1	3
Bostwick, Mrs.		1	3
Brown, James and Mrs.		3	9

Carney, Michael	£0	2	0
Denniston, Mr & Mrs (2 yrs.)		10	0
Dixon, Mr. and Mrs.	1	10	0
English, Mrs.		1	3
Fairweather, James		10	0
Fairweather, James Junr		2	6
Fairweather, Stephen		2	6
Fairweather, Samuel		5	0
Fairweather, Mrs.		2	6
Fairweather, Miss F.		2	6
Fairweather, Miss		5	0
Fairweather, Thomas Senr.		7	6
Fairweather, Edwin		5	0
Fairweather, Mrs. Edwin		5	0
Fairweather, Julia E.		2	0
Fairweather, Isabel M.		2	0
Fairweather, Arthur E.		2	0
Fairweather, Mr. & Mrs. T. Jr.		5	0
Fairweather, John F.		2	6
Fairweather, Mrs. John F.		2	6
Fairweather, James Albert		1	3
Fairweather, Allan Ernest		1	3
Frost, Charles		2	6
Frost, Mrs. C.		2	6
Frost, Harvey		2	6
Frost, Mrs. H.		2	6
Frost, Miss Julia		1	6
Frost, Miss Caroline		1	6
Frost, Mrs. Senr.		2	6
Hatfield, Daniel		5	0
Hatfield, Mrs.		5	0
Hatfield, J. L.		2	6
Hendricks, John C.		3	0
Hendricks, Mrs.		2	6
Hendricks, James		1	3
Hendricks, Miss		1	3
Hoyt, Edwin	1	0	0
Hoyt, Mrs.		10	0
Hoyt, Maria			7½
Hoyt, Mrs. Captain		2	6
Hughston, James		2	6
Ketchum, Mrs.		2	6
Ketchum, Isaac		3	0
Ketchum, Miss E.		1	3
Ketchum, Miss Julia		2	0
Ketchum, Charles		2	6
Ketchum, Peter		2	6
Ketchum, Mrs. James		2	6
Ketchum, Anne B.			7½
Ketchum, Charles H.		5	0
Ketchum, Miss Emily D.		5	0
Ketchum, Thomas		5	0
Ketchum, Miss Hannah		5	0
Leavitt, Mrs. John		5	0
Lamoreux, Mrs. G.		2	6
Lamoreux, J. Frederick			7
Mathews, Mrs. John		2	6
Puddington, Mrs.		1	3
Raymond, I. B. S.	1	0	0
Raymond, Helen		1	3
Raymond, Eliza	£0	1	0
Raymond, John		1	3
Raymond, George		1	3
Raymond, Mrs. John M.		7	6
Raymond, Silas		2	6
Raymond, Miss Clarissa		2	6
Raymond, Miss		2	6
Raymond, Mrs. Jesse		2	6
Seely, Robert		2	6
Seely, Mrs.		2	6
Seivwright, Hetty		2	6
Seivwright, Colina		2	6
Simonds, Rev. Richard	1	0	0
Simonds, Mrs.	1	0	0
Simonds, Lily		5	0
Simonds, Cornelia		2	6
Simonds, Blanche		2	6
Scribner, Mrs.		5	0
Sharp, Mrs.		5	0
Ward, Mr. and Mrs.	1	0	0
Warneford, Mrs.	1	0	0
Wetmore, H. S.		6	3
Wetmore, P. W. and family		5	0
Wetmore, E. S. and family		7	6
Wetmore, Norton, & family		6	7
Wetmore, Charles E.		2	6
Sermons,	2	15	0
	£23	12	2

PORTLAND.

Akerley, James	£0	5	0
Allan, Thomas		5	0
Earl, Richard		7	6
Harrison, Rev. W.	1	0	0
Hatheway, F. W.	1	0	0
Hawe, Captain	1	0	0
Lawton, Mr.	3	0	0
Middlemore, Robert	1	0	0
Ruddock, Thomas	1	0	0
Ruddock, Joseph	1	0	0
Ruddock, F.	1	0	0
Simonds, Hon. C.	10	0	0
Simonds, H. G.	5	0	0
Simonds, R.	5	0	0
First Collection,	5	1	3
Second do.	4	1	3
	£40	0	0

PORTLAND—ST. PAUL'S.

Adams, John	£0	5	0
Allen, Miss		3	0
Andrews, Mrs.		3	0
Armstrong, Robert		2	6
Armstrong, Edward		2	6
Armstrong, Christopher		2	6
Bates, Miss	1	0	0
Brown, John		5	0
Brown, Edward		2	6

Burtis, W. R. M.	£0	10	0
Carman, W. H.		15	0
Coster, Miss		5	0
Cunningham, Moses		2	6
Drury, Mrs.	1	0	0
Drury, Charles		10	0
Drury, Mr. and Mrs. W. C.	1	0	0
Drury, Miss		5	0
Fairweather, Joseph		10	0
Fairweather, George E.	1	10	0
Fairweather, Edwin	2	0	0
Fairweather, Thomas	3	0	0
Howe, John	1	0	0
Jack, William	1	0	0
Jack, J. Allen	1	0	0
Lee, Rev. Charles	1	2	6
Lee, Mrs. Charles		10	0
Lee, W. T. P.	2	10	0
Manks, F.		5	0
Mount, Mrs.		5	0
Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. T. G.		5	0
Patterson, Lemuel		2	6
Penaligan, J. T.		5	0
Peters, E. B.	1	5	0
Peters, James W.		10	0
Peters, William T.	1	0	0
Peters, Miss		10	0
Pitts, Richard		3	0
Ramsay, David		2	6
Richey, John		5	0
Ritchie, Hon. W. J.	5	0	0
Rowe, John S.		5	0
Scovil, W. H.	10	0	0
Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. B.	10	0	0
Smith, G. Sidney		10	0
Snider, George E.	1	0	0
Taylor, John		5	0
Thomson, Samuel R.	1	0	0
Tucker, J.		10	0
Wetmore, T. S. (M. D.)	1	0	0
Wetmore, H. G. C.		5	0
Williams, Mrs.		2	6
Wright, William M.		10	0
Wright, Arthur		8	0
A Friend,		8	0
First Sermon,	12	6	9
Second do.	6	7	0
	£75	11	3

PRINCE WILLIAM, DUMFRIES, AND MAGUNDY.

Allan, Joseph	£0	5	0
Allan, Miss		2	6
Allan, Miss Ann		1	3
Atherton, Israel		1	3
Bain, John		2	6
Blaney, George		2	6
Brown, William		2	6
Brown, Thomas		2	6
Brymer, Charles	£0	5	0
Brymer, William		5	3
Charters, Robert		5	0
Davidson, William		10	0
Davidson, Witter		5	0
Davidson, Mrs. W.		2	6
Davidson, John		5	0
Davidson, Mrs. J.		5	0
Davidson, Miss		5	0
Davis, Josiah		2	6
Edmondson, Isaac		2	6
Edmondson, Miss		3	1½
Ellegood, Mrs.		3	1½
Ellegood, William		5	0
Ellegood, John		2	6
Ellegood, Mrs. John		2	6
Fraser, Thomas		5	0
Fraser, William		2	9
Fraser, Alexander		5	0
Fraser, George		5	0
Gartley, Peter		2	6
Gartley, John		2	6
Gartley, Andrew		1	3
Gartley, Letitia		2	6
Graham, Patrick		2	6
Graham, Gilbert		2	6
Graham, James		2	6
Guiou, John		2	6
Harper, John		10	0
Henderson, James		2	6
Henry, Robert		5	0
Henry, Arthur		5	0
Henry, William		2	6
Henry, James		5	0
Henry, John		2	6
Henry, Francis		2	6
Henry, John Junr.		2	6
Henry, William Junr.		2	6
Henry, James Junr.		2	6
Hood, George		2	6
Jones, Thomas	1	0	0
Jones, Eleazer		5	0
Jones, Mrs. E.		5	0
Jones, William		2	0
King, Steward		2	6
Lockard, Benjamin		2	6
Lockard, Patrick		2	6
Lockard, Thomas		2	6
Longmuir, William		5	0
Loosemore, Rev. P. W.	1	0	0
Loosemore, Miss		15	0
Love, William		5	0
Love, George		2	6
Love, James		5	0
Love, Robert		3	9
Love, Thomas A.		2	6
Marshall, John		7	6
Marshall, Mrs.		7	6
Mayes, William		5	0
Mayes, Mrs.		5	0

M'Conaghy, James	£0	2	6
M'Killop, James		5	9
Miller, Robert		2	6
Miller, John		2	6
Miller, Arthur		5	0
Miller, William		5	0
Miller, Henry		2	6
Nash, Mrs.		5	0
Nash, Miss		5	0
Noble, Robert		2	6
Porter, James		2	6
Ray, Andrew		2	6
Smith, John		2	6
Temple, Thomas		5	0
Torrence, Thomas		2	6
West, Mrs.	1	0	0
Whitehead, William		5	0
Whitehead, Alfred		5	0
Sermons in June,	3	0	0
Sermons in October,	2	8	6
	£24	8	0

QUEENSBURY.

Brown, A. J.	£0	10	0
Brown, Mrs.		2	6
Caverhill, Dr.		5	0
Caverhill, John		3	0
Caverhill, William		2	6
Cliff, James R.		10	0
Close, B.		2	6
Close, Elizabeth		1	3
Close, Abraham		2	6
Close, Mr. and Mrs. James		2	6
Earls, the Misses		7	6
Farmer, Daniel		4	6
Garden, Edward		2	6
Ingraham, Ira Senr.		7	6
Ingraham, Mrs. Ira		2	6
Ingraham, Benjamin		5	0
Ingraham, Mrs. Benjamin		2	6
Ingraham, Hannah		5	0
Ingraham, Charles		3	0
Ingraham, Henry		3	0
Ingraham, Sidney		5	0
Ingraham, Samuel		2	6
Long, Mrs.		2	6
Miller, William		5	0
Miller, Matthew		1	3
Morehouse, Charles & family,		12	6
Nelson, James		1	3
Prescott, William		5	0
Shaw, Thomas		3	0
Steward, Mrs.		3	1½
Timmens, Peter		3	0
Tippet, Rev. H. W.		10	0
Tippet, Mrs.		5	0
Tippet, H. G.		2	6
Tippet, Vivian W.		1	3
West, Miss		2	6
Five little children,		5	0
First Collection,	£2	5	8½
Second do.	1	13	4
	£11	12	2

RICHIBUCTO.

Bliss, Thomas Wetmore	£1	0	0
Bliss, Mrs. T. W.		10	0
Brooks, George Junr.		10	0
Brown, William		10	0
Brown, Mrs. William		5	0
Byers, William		7	6
Chandler, Mrs.	1	5	0
Chandler, Mary		5	0
Chandler, Rufus		15	0
DesBrisay, L. P. W.	5	0	0
Dickenson, Jonathan		7	6
Eddy, William		7	6
Foster (Graham) John Junr.		5	0
Hains, Joseph		5	0
Hetherington, Samuel B.		10	0
Hetherington, Mary E.		5	0
Hutchinson, Robert		15	0
Hughes, William		5	0
James, Alexander	1	0	0
Jackson, Sarah		5	0
Johnson, Mrs.		3	1½
Johnson, Mary Ann		5	0
Lane, George	1	0	0
Marshall, Mary		5	0
Mills, James Senr.		5	0
Mills, Thomas		2	6
Mills, James Junr.		2	6
Neales, James	1	1	0
Neales, J. Stanley		2	6
Neales, William Stirling		2	6
Neales, Henry Huntly		1	2½
Neales, Mary		1	0
Neales, Helen		1	0
Neales, Rose Stirling		1	0
Orr, John		5	0
Orr, Elizabeth		1	3
Orr, George		1	3
Ostle, Jonathan		17	6
Ostle, Matthewman		2	6
Pagan, George		15	0
Powell, Robert		5	0
Powell, Mrs. Edward		5	0
Powell, Mrs. S.		5	0
Richardson, Thomas		10	0
Sayre, Charles		10	0
Scott, Ann		5	0
Smith, the Misses	1	5	0
Sowerby, Isaac		5	0
Stephenson, John		10	0
Wathen, John		7	6
Wathen, John M.		2	6
Wathen, Thomas		5	0
Weldon, Hon. J. W.	2	6	8
Weston, William		5	0
Wetmore, Thomas		5	0

Wheton, John Junr.	£1	0	0
First Collection,	3	15	0
Second do.	2	0	0
	£35	15	0

SACKVILLE AND DORCHESTER.

SACKVILLE.

Allison, Joseph F.	£1	0	0
Allison, H. B.		10	0
Allen, John		2	6
Anderson, Smith		2	6
Botsford, Hon. W.	2	0	0
Botsford, Hon. A. E.		17	6
Boultenhouse, John		2	6
Boultenhouse, Mrs. J.		1	3
Boultenhouse, Miss M.		1	3
Boultenhouse, Abigail		1	3
Black, Samuel F.		5	0
Cogswell, Edward		10	0
Clark, James		2	6
Clark, Robert		2	6
Carson, John		2	6
Carter, Thomas		2	6
Dixon, E. B.		5	0
DeWolf, Rev. T. N.	2	0	0
Evans, Miss Mary		1	6
Evans, Isaac		3	1½
Hutchinson, C. S.		1	3
Hutchinson, Mrs.		1	10½
Lawrence, Mrs. George		2	6
Milner, Christopher		5	0
Milner, William		1	6½
Murray, Miss		5	0
M'Alister, Robert		2	6
Palmer, Philip		5	0
Purdy, James		1	3
Russ, Charles		5	0
Robson, Thomas		5	0
Sinclair, Daniel		1	10½
Sinclair, Mrs.		2	6
Thompson, Miss		2	6
Wilkins, James		2	6
Wilson, Rufus		2	6
First Collection,	1	10	3½
Second do.		19	0½
	£13	10	6

DORCHESTER.

Ayer, John N.	£0	2	6
Ayer, Mrs. John N.		2	6
Botsford, Blair		10	0
Backhouse, W.		3	1½
Chandler, Hon. E. B.	5	0	0
Chapman, David		5	0
Card, George		3	1½
Godfrey, Robert		5	0
Godfrey, Edwin V.		2	6
Godfrey, C. B.		3	1½
Gilbert, Bradford		10	0
Gilbert, Miss		10	0
Gray, Walter	£0	3	1½
Hickman, John		4	4½
Hickman, Joseph		2	6
Hickman, William		2	6
Moore, J. L.		5	7½
Palmer, Gideon		5	0
Sayre, Thomas S.		10	0
Sayre, O. R.		2	6
Smith, Hon. A. J.		5	0
Tait, George		2	6
Upham, J. E.		2	6
Upham, Mrs.		2	6
First Collection,	1	15	9
Second do.	1	9	6
	£13	10	3

SPRINGFIELD.

Bliss, Rev. Charles P.	£0	10	0
Crawford, J.		2	6
Crawford, M. A.		2	6
Crawford, Julia		1	3
Crawford, Sarah		1	3
Crawford, Stephen		1	3
Crawford, James		1	3
Crawford, Mary		2	6
Crawford, B.		2	6
Crawford, Mrs. B.		2	6
Crawford, J. B. W.		2	6
Frost, J. S.		2	6
Farmer, W.		2	6
Golding, James		3	6
Huggard, R. (two years)		5	0
Huggard, S "		2	6
Huggard, Eliza "		2	6
Huggard, John		1	3
Huggard, James		1	3
Marven, Sturgess		5	0
Marven, P.		2	6
Marven, Mrs. P.		2	6
Marven, C.		2	6
Marven, Silas		2	6
Marven, H.		5	0
Marven, J.		10	0
Marven, Miss E.		5	0
Marven, Miss B. G.		2	6
O'Neil, R.		1	3
O'Neil, J.		1	3
Raymond, P. M.		10	0
Raymond, E. G. M.		10	0
Scovil, H. A. Esq.	1	0	0
Scovil, Daniel	1	0	0
Scovil, W. B. Esq.	1	0	0
Scovil, Miss Amy		10	0
Scovil, Miss Amelia	10	0	0
Scovil, Mrs. H. A.		5	0
White, Vincent		19	3
Offertory, June 1857,	1	7	3
" Christmas Day, 1857,	1	7	4
	£22	19	10

ST. ANDREWS.

Alley, Rev. Dr.	£1	0	0
Augherton, George		3	9
Berry, Thomas		10	0
Billings, Samuel		3	9
Billings, Mary		3	1½
Billings, Richard		1	3
Buck, Walter M.	1	0	0
Bell, James		2	6
Berry, G.		1	3
Barnes, J.		5	0
Ballentine, R.		1	3
Chandler, James W.		10	0
Coughlan, Mrs.		5	0
Campbell, George F.		5	0
Campbell, Mrs. George F.		2	6
Campbell, George R.			7½
Clinch, Patrick		1	3
Craig, William		5	0
Dimock, C. W.		2	6
Dimock, Mrs.		2	6
Driscoll, P.		1	3
Driscoll. C.		1	3
Grant, Alexander	1	0	0
Gove, Dr.		10	0
Green, Captain		5	0
Hatch, Harris H.		5	0
Hatch, Mrs. H. H.		5	0
Hatch, Wellington		5	0
Hatch, Mrs. W.		5	0
Hipwell, Thomas		5	0
Harvey, Hibbard		2	6
Haddock, Richardson		2	6
Haddock, Jacob		2	6
Howard, J.		5	0
Jones, Thomas	1	0	0
James, R. D.		10	0
James, Mrs. R. D.		10	0
Johnson, Henry		2	6
Julian, Mrs.		5	0
Julian, Miss		5	0
Julian, Arthur		5	0
Lewis, William		2	6
Marsh, Mrs.	1	0	0
Mugford, R.		5	0
Millar, Robert		5	0
Meloney, William		1	3
Parker, N. Dr.	1	0	0
Pheasant, Edward		5	0
Pheasant, Mrs.		2	6
Parkinson, John		5	0
Porter, Jacob		1	3
Priestly, Miss		1	3
Ross, Mrs. Robert		5	0
Richardson, J.		1	3
Street, James W.	1	0	0
Street, George D.	1	0	0
Street, the Misses		11	3
Street, Herbert		1	3
Smith, Randal		10	0
Stone, Mrs.	£0	5	0
Stone, Miss		3	9
Stinson, James		5	0
Stinson, William		5	0
Shaw, Robert		5	0
Stevenson, James		1	3
Stevenson, R.		1	3
Saunders, Edward		1	3
Thompson, Captain	1	0	0
Turner, Mrs.		5	0
Treadwell, John		5	0
Treadwell, Nathan		5	0
Townshend, Jackson		2	6
Whitlock, William		10	0
Whitlock, J. H.		5	0
Wardlaw, C. W.		5	0
Wardlaw, Mrs.		5	0
Wilson, Mrs. John		5	0
Wilson, T. B.		5	0
Wilson, Edward		5	0
Wilson, John D.		5	0
Wren, John		5	0
Ware, Thomas		5	0
Wrigley, George		5	0
Ward, J.		5	0
Collection after 1st sermon,	3	0	0
do. 2d do.	2	8	1
do. at Chamcook,	1	12	1
	£32	6	5

ST. GEORGE, PENNFIELD, AND ROURKE SETTLEMENT.

ST. GEORGE.

A Church lady,	£0	5	0
Andrews, Mrs. S.		5	0
Andrews, Miss Isabella		5	0
Baldwin, George		2	6
Barry, Mrs. T.		5	0
Boyd, John		2	6
Browne, John		2	6
Browne, James		3	9
Brown, Hugh.		2	6
Campbell, James		2	6
Campbell, Archibald		2	6
Campbell, Randal		2	6
Constantine, Mrs.		2	6
Coxetter, James M. D.		5	0
Gage, Kennedy		2	6
Hatheway, Mrs.		2	6
Johnson, Samuel		5	0
Johnson, Charles		2	6
Knight, Gideon		7	6
Knight, Mrs. Joshua		3	1½
Knight, Justus E.		2	6
Knight, Edward P.		2	6
Ludgate, Hugh		5	0
Ludgate, Mrs. Hugh		2	6
Ludgate, Charles C.		1	3
Mathewson, Hugh		5	0

Mathewson, George	£0	2	6
M'Carty, Henry		3	9
M'Callum, Hugh		2	6
M'Colla, William		5	0
M'Cormick, Joseph		2	6
M'Givern, Rev. J.	1	5	0
M'Gee, Richard		5	0
M'Gee, Mrs. R.		5	0
M'Gee, Richard Junr.		5	0
M'Gowan, John		2	6
M'Masters, Angus		5	0
M'Reynolds, Anthony		3	1½
Messinett, Miss A.		5	0
Messinett, Mrs. Jos.		5	0
Milliken, Dominicus		5	0
Morean, James		2	6
Mowatt, Mrs.		2	6
Murphy, Henry		5	0
Scott, John		4	0
Shaw, W. W.		2	6
Stein, T. Crozier		2	6
Tayte, A. B.		5	0
Tayte, Robert T.		2	6
Thomson, Rev. S.	1	0	0
Thomson, Mrs.		10	0
Thomson, Miss		5	0
Wetmore, A. J.		5	0
Wetmore, Douglas		5	0
Wetmore, Josiah		5	0
Church collections,	2	16	5
	£15	5	5

PENNFIELD.

Archibald, Daniel	£0	2	6
Anderson, Robert		2	6
Armstrong, Thomas		2	6
Bostwick, John		2	6
Boyd, William Senr.		2	6
Boyd, David		1	3
Boyd, William Junr.		2	6
Boyd, Simon		2	6
Buckman, Harriet		1	3
Boggs, William		5	0
Boggs, William Henry		2	6
Carlisle, John		2	6
Crickett, John		5	0
Crickett, George		2	6
Cluff, Matthew		1	3
Dixon, Robert		2	6
Dunbar, John		2	6
Dunbar, Robert		2	6
Dunbar, John Junr.		1	3
Gillespie, James		2	6
Hunter, Robert		1	3
Hunter, Mrs. James		1	3
Hunter, Elizabeth		1	3
Harvey, John		2	6
Holland, Mrs. William		3	1½
Holland, George		2	6
Holland, William	£0	2	6
Jack, Jacob		2	6
Johnson, William		2	6
Justison, Isaac		3	1½
Knight, George V		2	6
Knight, Mrs. George		2	6
Lockett, William Henry		5	0
Lowry, John		1	3
M'Coy, Hugh Senr.		3	9
M'Coy, Hugh Junr.		1	3
M'Coy, David		1	3
M'Coy, Daniel		3	1½
Mealy, Malcolm		5	0
Mealy, Alfred		1	3
Mealy, Roger		1	3
M'Dole, James		2	6
M'Dole, John		1	3
M'Clean, Charles		2	6
Noble, William		1	3
Poolo, Enos		1	3
Prescott, Joshua		2	6
Scott, Mrs.		1	3
Sellers, Daniel		2	6
Shears, John		2	6
Shinney, James		2	6
Shinny, Mrs. James		1	3
Traynor, Caleb.		1	3
Church Collections,		16	2½
	£6	19	4

ROURKE SETTLEMENT.

Carson, William Senr.	£0	2	6
Carson, William Junr.		2	6
Carson, Thomas Senr.		5	0
Carson, Mrs. T.		1	3
Carson, Thomas Junr.		1	3
Carson, William T.		1	3
Carson, Hannah		1	3
Carson, Mary Ann		1	3
Carson, Rachael		1	3
Carson, Achison		1	3
M'Farlane, Walter		5	0
M'Ilroy, Henry		2	6
M'Ilroy, Clara		2	6
Reynor, Susan		2	6
Reynor, Sophia		1	0
Rourke, David		5	0
	£1	17	3

ST. JOHN—ST. MARK'S.

Adams, W. H.	£2	0	0
Adams, Alexander		5	0
Acton, James		10	0
Avery, W. L.		5	0
Armstrong, Rev. G. M.	2	0	0
Armstrong, G. M.	1	0	0
Armstrong, John S.		5	0
Armstrong, Mary A.		2	6

Armstrong, W. H.	£0	2	6
Armstrong, J.		5	0
Armstrong, R.		5	0
Armstrong, Mrs. R.		5	0
Berton, W. S.		5	0
Berton, Miss		10	0
Berton, S. D.	3	10	0
Beer, Captain (R N.)	1	0	0
Bevell, Jos.		2	6
Barlow, Mrs.		5	0
Blatch, George		10	0
Chipman, Mrs.	5	0	0
Clark, Miss L. A.		5	0
Clinch, R. T.		10	0
Coughlan, A. A.		10	0
Deforest, G. S.		10	0
Dole, M.		10	0
Durant, C.		5	0
Durant, William		5	0
Dunham, William		10	0
DeVeber, L H.	3	0	0
DeVeber, R. S.	1	0	0
DeVeber, Boies		10	0
Dickson, R. S.		5	0
Dickson, Mrs. R. S.		5	0
Disbrow, Mrs.	1	0	0
DeVeber, L. H.	1	0	0
Daniel, T. W.	3	0	0
Daniel, Mrs. T. W.	2	0	0
Daniel, Arthur		5	0
Fairweather, C. H.	2	0	0
Fairweather, Mrs. C. H.		15	0
Fairweather, F. R.		2	6
Fairweather, L. S.		2	6
Foster, C. V.		10	0
Foster, Mrs. C. V.		5	0
Foster, Dr. A.		10	0
Foster, Mrs. A.		5	0
Gillis, John	2	10	0
Grindon, Thomas		5	0
Green, James		5	0
Garnett, William		5	0
Gibbon, W. H.		5	0
Gibbon, W. A.		5	0
Hubbard, W. W.		2	6
Hieber, Jacob		5	0
Hall, S. S.	2	0	0
Hubbard, W. D. W.		5	0
Hubbard, L. W.		2	6
Hubbard, Miss H. L.		5	0
Hazen, Miss	1	0	0
Hooke, G. L.		5	0
Howard, D. S.	1	0	0
Irish, G. C.		5	0
Jarvis, W.		10	0
Jones, Simeon		5	0
Jarvis, Mrs.	1	0	0
Kaye, James J.		10	0
Keans, W. H. A.		10	0
Kollock, Miss		10	0
Kinnear, C. F.	£0	5	0
Kaye, Dorothy		2	6
Lester, W. H.		5	0
Lester, J. G.		5	0
Millidge, Thomas E.	1	0	0
Moore, Mrs.		5	0
M'Avity, John		15	0
M'Gowan, John		5	0
Marter, Thomas		5	0
M'Ginley, William		5	0
Miller, Mrs.		5	0
Marter, B.		2	6
Miller, Annie		2	6
Mills, William		7	6
M'Carty, M.	1	0	0
Noyes, Jacob		10	0
Nogg, Daniel		5	0
Olson, James	1	0	0
Peters, Mrs.	1	0	0
Perkins, D. C.	1	0	0
Perkins, Harvey		5	0
Perkins, Mrs. Mary		5	0
Polly, R.		5	0
Peters, Hurd	2	0	0
Price, Benjamin		5	0
Peters, Mrs. Samuel		5	0
Ruel, J. R.	1	0	0
Rainsford, M.		5	0
Robilliard, Agnes		5	0
Smith, H. B.	1	0	0
Secord, J. F.		5	0
Smith, W. F.		5	0
Smith, W.		10	0
Starr, Mrs.		10	0
Smith, T. M.		15	0
Turnbull, W. W.		10	0
Thorne, Scovil		5	0
Turner, J. D.		5	0
Turner, Mrs. J. D.		5	0
Thorne, E. L.	1	0	0
Turner, Ida A.		2	6
Waterbury, Mrs. George		5	0
Winters, John		5	0
Wilson, John		3	0
Ward, Charles		10	0
Wilmot, Miss		5	0
Wilmot, Mrs.		5	0
Woods, George		10	0
First collection,	11	7	6
Second do.	10	0	2
	£94	0	8

ST. JOHN—TRINITY.

Allison, Edward	£0	10	0
Almon, L. J.	1	0	0
Anning, John		5	0
Bayard, Robertson	1	0	0
Beard, J. W.		10	0
Bentley, Miss	1	0	0

	£	s.	d.
Beenard, Mr. and Mrs.	£1	0	0
Betts, Charles P.		5	0
Boyne, Thomas		10	0
Boyne, G. G.		5	0
Boyne, A. V. M.		2	6
Brown, J. C.		5	0
Bryant, Joseph R.		2	6
Campbell, John		10	0
Card, Henry	1	0	0
Cash,			6
Crowhurst, William	1	0	0
Cudlip, John W.	1	0	0
Cutler, J. E.		5	0
Davidson, J. E.		5	0
Davidson, William	1	0	0
Deanery Collection,		5	0
Devoe, John D.		10	0
Dolby, Edward		15	0
Dole, W. P.		10	0
Duffill, William		5	0
Edgron, Edward		2	6
Friends two,		10	0
Furlong, Thomas		5	0
Gray, Rev. I. W. D.	4	0	0
Gray, J. H.	1	0	0
Hanford, Mr. and Mrs. J. T.	2	0	0
Hanford, Thomas T.	1	0	0
Harding, Hon. James A.	1	0	0
Hardenbrook, John		5	0
Hastings, Aaron	1	0	0
Hazen, Hon. R. L.	2	0	0
Holmes, Galbraith,		2	6
Howard, James		5	0
Johnston, Mrs. H.	3	0	0
Johnston, Miss H.	2	0	0
Johnston, Miss S.	2	0	0
Johnston, Miss A.	1	0	0
Kerr, John	2	0	0
Kirkpatrick, Charles		5	0
Lawrence, G. W.		5	0
Lawton, W G.		15	0
Leonard, W. C.		5	0
Light, Alexander L.	1	0	0
Lordly, A. G.		5	0
M'Colgan, Thomas		2	6
M'Nichol, James		5	0
M'Grath, John		10	0
M'Beath, A.		5	0
M'Givern, R. P.		10	0
Magee, Abraham		5	0
Magee, Robert		2	6
Majoribanks, Thomas	1	0	0
Martins, Head		10	0
Marven, John		5	0
Marven, William		2	6
Matthew, George		5	0
Melick, Henry		5	0
Melick, C. J.		10	0
Merritt, Charles	2	10	0
Merritt, E. M.		5	0
Merritt, Mrs. Thomas	£1	5	0
Merritt, Miss Susan M.		3	0
Merritt, Miss Ann C.		3	0
Merritt, T. Gray		3	0
Merritt, David P.		3	0
Merritt, Albert		3	0
Nicholson, John W.	1	0	0
Paddock, Thomas A.		5	0
Parker, Hon. R.	10	0	0
Patton, Charles		15	0
Perkins, C. N.		5	0
Perley, M. H.	1	0	0
Pine, Jury		5	0
Plant, H. W. W.	1	0	0
Powers, M. N.		10	0
Rawleigh, Mrs.	2	0	0
Raymond, Mrs. Charles		2	6
Raymond, Charles E.		10	0
Robinson, Beverley	5	0	0
Robinson, G. D.	3	0	0
Robinson, Beverley Junr.		10	0
Rynd, Robert		5	0
Sancton, Thomas A.	1	0	0
Sandall, John		5	0
Savary, A. W.		5	0
Scammell, Joseph		10	0
Scovil, Rev. William	5	0	0
Sears, Edward	1	0	0
Sears, John		10	0
Scribner, George		2	6
Simonds, Miss	5	0	0
Stone, John		7	6
Sturdee, H. P.	1	5	0
Taylor, Alfred		10	0
Thomson, Miss A.	1	0	0
Thomson, Miss Mary		1	3
Thurgar, J. V.	5	0	0
Till, William	1	0	0
Tisdale, T. E. G.	2	0	0
Trinity Sunday scholars,	3	14	0
Vernon, James	1	0	0
Walton, W.		5	0
Wedderburn, W.		5	0
Weldon, C. W.	2	0	0
Wetmore, O. D.		5	0
Whiting, D. M.		5	0
Whitney, G. M.		10	0
Whitney, James A.		10	0
Wiggins, Stephen	50	0	0
Wiggins, Frederick A.	20	0	0
Willis, John		3	0
Woodward, Isaac		10	0
Woolan, B. M.		5	0
First Collection,	16	15	0
Second do.	10	17	0
	£208	5	9

ST. JOHN—ST. JAMES.

	£	s.	d.
Abell, Mrs.	£0	1	3

Armstrong, Rev. W.	£4	0	0
Armstrong, Mrs. W.	1	0	0
Armstrong, Rev. John	1	0	0
Armstrong, John		2	6
Bates, Mrs.		5	0
Betts, Captain H.		5	0
Bonar, A.		1	3
Brown, Mrs. C.		10	0
Brown, Mrs. James		1	3
Brakey, Mrs.		1	3
Bridges, Thomas		1	3
Brownswood, Miss		1	3
Boyd, Mrs.		5	0
Bunworth, Charlotte		1	3
Cairns, Mrs.		1	3
Carey, Captain R. A.		5	0
Cassidy, Richard		5	0
Cash,		5	0
Cash,		3	9
Cash,		1	3
Children Par. Sunday school	2	2	0
Chubb, Thomas		5	0
Coigley, Mrs.		2	6
Crookshank, R. W.		10	0
Crookshank, R. W. Junr.	2	0	0
Dibblee, A.		5	0
Dickson, David		1	3
Dickson, Miss		5	0
Dobbin, W.		1	3
Doherty, —		2	6
Dorrethy, Mrs.		1	3
Emerson, W.		1	3
Fairweather, A.		5	0
Fenety, G. E.		5	0
Flood, C.		5	0
Fletcher, E.		1	3
Foster, S. K.		5	0
Freeth, Captain R. E.		10	0
Friend,		2	6
Friends two,		5	0
Frith, H. W.	2	0	0
Frith, F. C. K.	1	0	0
Fuge, F. E.	2	0	0
Grant, J. M., R. E. Dept.	1	0	0
Godfrey, Mrs.		1	3
Greig, George		1	3
Griffin, Mrs.		2	6
Griffiths, Mrs.		2	6
Hare, Captain		10	0
Hatfield, A.		1	3
Hoyt, J. A.		10	0
Huyghue, S.		5	0
Jones, T. E. Town Major		5	0
Jordan, Daniel		7	6
Jordan, William		5	0
Josslyn, Mrs.		2	6
Kee, George		5	0
Kee, William		5	0
Kee, George Junr.		5	0
Kerr, D. S.		10	0

Lawson, Mrs.	£0	5	0
Lonsdale, —		5	0
Lowry, William		2	6
Magee, Charles		2	6
Marjoribanks, Miss		2	6
Matthews, Mrs.		2	6
M'Cullough, J.			10
M'Kelvey, A.		2	6
M'Mahon, E. J. Com. Dept.		5	0
Moore, R. A.		2	6
Moulson, John		2	6
Nagle, William		5	0
Parsons, J. E.		2	6
Partelow, Charles		2	6
Peel, Mrs.		1	3
Peel, H.		1	3
Pengilly, Mrs.		2	6
Perrin, Mrs.		2	6
Peters, B L.	2	0	0
Pike, William		1	3
Portmore, Mrs.		5	0
Price, James		7	6
Priestly, George		10	0
Priestly, Mrs.		10	0
Ranney, Mrs.		10	0
Reynard, James		5	0
Reynard, Miss		2	0
Riley, Mrs.		2	6
Robinson, J. M.	4	0	0
Robinson, Mrs. J. M.	1	0	0
Robinson, Mrs. W. H.	5	0	0
Robinson, Frederick		1	3
Sage, James		5	0
Seeds, Samuel		10	0
Sheridan, Mrs.		1	3
Simonds, Charles Junr.	1	0	0
Smith, W.		2	6
Smith, W. Junr.		2	6
Smith, Richard		2	6
Stein, Mrs.		2	6
Stewart, Dr. Medical Staff,		2	6
Stewart, James		5	0
Stewart, W. O.		5	0
Sulis, Joseph		5	0
Sulis, George		5	0
Sulis, Charles E.		2	6
Swinney, Miss (W. & O.)	1	0	0
Tapp, W. H. War Dept.	1	0	0
Taylor, Edward		5	0
Thomas, John		5	0
Trentowsky, A. C. O.		10	0
Vanhorne, Mrs.		5	0
Waller, George		1	3
Ward, John		10	0
Wetmore, A. R.	1	0	0
Wetmore, Mrs.	1	0	0
Whitley, Mrs.		2	6
Wilson, John Junr.		5	0
Wilson, Thomas		2	6
Woodburn, John		1	3

Wright, William	£10	0	0
Wright, John		10	0
Wright, E. H., R. E. Dept.		5	0
Sundry small sums,	1	10	3
First collection,	5	0	0
Second do.	4	0	0
	£75	7	4

First Collection, Nashwaak,	£0	2	10½
Second do. do.		6	7
Pennyack,		1	5
First do. Trinity,		7	0
Second do. do.		9	2
Stanley,	2	0	0
	£14	13	11

ST. MARY'S.

Buchanan, Daniel	£0	3	1½
Barker, Anthony		5	0
Barker, Mrs. A.		5	0
Barker, Miss		2	6
Barker, Charlotte		2	6
Barker, William		5	0
Barker, Thomas F.		5	0
Bowden, George		5	0
Carman, Samuel		5	0
Carman, Samuel J.		5	0
Carman, Odber		5	0
Carman, Mrs. O.		2	6
Carman, Fanny		2	6
Dibblee, George F.		1	3
Donald, George		5	0
Donald, Mrs. William		2	6
Donald, Alexander Senr.		5	0
Donald, Mrs. George		2	6
Hoben, John		15	0
Hoben, Mrs. J.		15	0
Hanson, Benjamin		5	0
Jaffrey, Rev. William	1	0	0
Johnston, Mrs.		2	6
Jones, George		5	0
King, Stephen		1	3
King, William		2	6
King, Charles		2	6
Kelly, John		5	0
Kelly, Mrs. John		5	0
M'Gibbin, Annie M'Gregor		1	3
Nutter, Miss		2	6
Peppers, James		1	3
Peppers, Robert		1	3
Peppers, Mrs.		2	6
Peppers, John		2	6
Peppers, Mrs. John		2	6
Peppers, Thomas		2	6
Plant, William		5	0
Plant, Mrs. William		2	6
Plant, Mrs.		2	6
Rice, Andrew		5	0
Smith, Woodford	1	0	0
Sterling, Mrs. George		5	0
Sterling, George A.		2	6
Tilley, Charles		5	0
Yerxa, Daniel		2	6
Yerxa, Mrs. D.		2	6
Yerxa, Gabriel		2	6
Yerxa, Mrs. G.		2	6
Yerxa, Elias		5	0

ST. DAVID AND ST. PATRICK.

SAINT PATRICK.

Acheson, Thomas	£0	2	6
Acheson, Mrs. T.		2	6
Acheson, Sarah		2	6
Acheson, Jane		1	3
Acheson, James		3	1½
Acheson, Mrs. J.		2	6
Acheson, Mary Rachel		1	3
Acheson, William Junr.		5	0
Baldwin, John		2	6
Brown, W. Albion		2	6
Brown, M. Virgil		2	6
Carson, Charles	1	5	0
Carson, Mrs.	1	5	0
Carson, George		5	0
Carson, Catherine		4	4½
Carson, Skeffington		1	3
Carson, Charles		1	3
Cockburn, Robert		10	0
Cockburn, Mrs.		5	0
Cockburn, John C.		1	3
Cockburn, Margaret		1	3
Cockburn, Mary C.		1	3
Cockburn, Robert L.		1	3
Dyer, Alexander		5	0
Dyer, Mrs. A.		1	3
Dyer, Mrs. Richard		2	6
Gilmore, William		5	0
Johnson, William		5	0
Locke, Robert		2	6
Locke, Mrs.		2	6
Maguire, John		5	0
Maguire, Mrs. John		5	0
Maguire, Mary Jane		2	6
Maguire, Charles 3d,		1	3
Maguire, William James		1	3
Maguire, Thomas		2	6
Maguire, Mrs. T.		2	6
Maguire, Charles 2d.		2	6
Maguire, Martha A.		1	3
M'Farlan, Mrs. Julia		5	0
M'Farlan, Henry		2	6
M'Farlan, Mrs. Henry		2	6
M'Farlan, Daniel		2	6
M'Farlan, Robert		3	1½
M'Farlan, Mrs. R.		2	6
M'Farlan, Walter		2	6
M'Farlan, Charles		2	6
M'Farlan, Samuel		2	6
M'Farlan, Mrs. S.		2	6

M'Minn, Alexander	£0	2	6
M'Minn, Mrs.		1	5
M'Minn, Sarah E.		1	3
Monahan, Hugh		5	0
Monahan, Mrs.		2	6
Smart, Mrs. James		3	1½
Thomson, Rev. J. S.		5	0
	£10	5	3

SAINT DAVID.

Alexander, John	£0	2	6
Benson, Asa		5	0
Benson, Mrs.		2	6
Black, Thomas Senr.		1	3
Black, Mrs.		1	3
Black, Charles		5	0
Black, Mrs. C.		2	6
Black, Jane		2	6
Black, Margaret		1	3
Black, Charles Junr.		1	3
Black, Henry			7½
Black, Robert			7½
Black, Thomas Junr.		2	6
Black, Robert Senr.		5	0
Blackwood, Amanda		2	6
Calkins, Mrs. Mary		5	0
Dacon, Robert Junr.		1	3
Dacon, Mrs. R.		1	3
Grant, Margaret		2	6
Gregory, Mrs. Thomas		2	6
Geddery, Jarvis		2	6
Geddery, Mrs.		2	6
Hewes, Rachel		5	0
Hutchinson, Alexander		5	0
Hutchinson, Mrs.		2	6
Hutchinson, Mary		1	3
Hutchinson, Archibald		1	3
Johnson, Robert		2	6
Johnson, Mrs.		1	3
Johnson, William		1	3
Lindsay, Bessie		2	6
M'Bride, John		2	6
M'Bride, Mrs. John		1	3
M'Bride, Mrs. James		2	6
M'Bride, Archibald		2	6
M'Murray, John		2	6
M'Murray, Mrs.		1	3
Mitchell, Thomas Senr.		2	6
Mitchell, Samuel		3	9
Mitchell, Mrs. Samuel		2	6
Mowatt, Nancy		1	3
Peacock, Mrs.		3	1½
Peppers, Samuel		1	3
Peppers, Mrs.		1	3
Polley, Mrs. Henry		2	6
Ragan, John		2	6
Rolls, William		2	6
Rolls, Mrs. William		2	6
Simpson, Henry		2	6
Simpson, Mrs. Henry	£0	2	6
Simpson, Joseph		2	6
Simpson, Mrs. Joseph		2	6
Smith, William		2	6
Smith, Mrs.		1	3
Smith, Victoria		2	6
Smith, Maria		1	3
Stuart, Mrs.		2	6
Thomson, Rev. J. S.		10	0
Thomson, Mrs.		10	0
Thomson, Herbert		2	6
Towers, William		5	0
Towers, Mrs. William		5	0
Towers, Margaret		1	3
Towers, George		1	3
Towers, Robert			7½
Towers, Robert Senr.		5	0
Towers, Mrs. Robert		2	6
Towers, Margaret			7½
Towers, Edward		2	6
Towers, Mrs. Edward		2	6
Watters, Mrs.		2	6
Watters, Mary		1	3
Watters, Daniel Junr.		2	6
Watters, Mrs. Daniel		1	3
Webber, James		2	6
Webber, Mrs.		2	6
Wills, John		5	0
Winshel, John		2	6
	£10	3	1½

ST. STEPHEN.

Atherton, Mrs. E	£0	5	0
Andrews, Mrs. William		2	6
Abbot, Mrs. P. M.		5	10
Abbot, Mary C.		2	6
Abbot, Peter M.		7	6
Bixly, Mrs. Ann		2	6
Bixly, Mary J.		2	6
Blair, Mrs. Dr.		5	10
Bolton, John		10	0
Eastman, Mrs. H.		2	6
Friend, A.		2	6
Cairns, Ann		2	6
Foster, Andrew		2	6
Grimmer, George S.	1	0	0
Grimmer, William W.		3	0
Grant, James A.		3	9
Hay, John S.		5	0
Johnston, William		5	0
Lindsay, Mrs. R.		5	10
Lindsay, Mrs. N.		5	0
Marks, Mrs. J.		5	0
Marks, Mrs. H.		2	6
Marks, A. H. Junr.		5	10
Marks, J. P.		5	10
Marks, Nehemiah	1	0	0
Owens, Mrs. H.		2	6
Porter, Mrs. B.		2	6

Porter, Mrs. J.	£0	5	0
Rose, David A.		7	6
Rose, John H.		2	6
Ryder, John		2	6
Stuart, Miss Mary		2	6
Smith, Mrs. E.		3	1½
Smith, Thomas		2	6
Sands, George E.		5	0
Sands, Mrs. G. E.		5	0
Springate, Edward		5	0
Thompson, Miss C.		3	1½
Thompson, Miss J.		3	1½
Thompson, Elisha		5	0
Thomson, George J.	1	0	0
Verome, William		2	6
Waddell, James		7	6
Watson, Robert	1	0	0
Watson, William		5	0
Webber, Henry		5	0
Youlden, Mrs.		2	6
Collections in Church,	4	0	0
	£17	1	5

SIMONDS.

Armstrong, R. Sands	£1	0	0
Armstrong, James		5	0
Armstrong, Mrs. James		2	6
Armstrong, John		5	0
Armstrong, William		3	0½
Armstrong, Robert		2	6
Armstrong, Richard		2	6
Ambrose, George		2	6
Burns, John		5	0
Burns, Mrs. John		2	6
Bartlett, Richard		5	0
Baker, Thomas		3	0
Disbrow, Rev. J. W.	1	0	0
Douglas, Robert		10	0
Daley, William		2	6
Daley, Mrs. William		2	6
Davidson, Mrs. James		1	3
Evans, William		5	0
Evans, Mrs. William		2	6
Evans, Robert		5	0
Evans, Mrs. Robert		2	6
Evans, Richard		5	0
Evans, Mrs. Richard		2	6
Ellis, Mrs. Ann		5	0
Gorbell, Thomas K.		3	0½
Griffin, Mrs. Barry		1	3
Jordan, John		5	0
Jordan, John Junr.		5	0
Jordan, William M.		5	0
Johnston, John		1	3
Johnston, Mrs. John		1	3
Kirkpatrick, Bernard		1	3
Lovatt, Richard		10	0
Lovatt, Mrs. Richard		5	0
Love, William		2	6
Marshall, William	£0	2	6
Moore, James		2	0
Moore, John		1	3
Parker, John S.		10	0
Parker, Mrs. John S.		5	0
Quinton, John		15	0
Ratcliff, Caleb		5	0
Scott, William		5	0
Sentell, Edward		2	6
First Collection,	1	5	7½
Second do.		17	11
	£12	14	7½

UPHAM AND ST. MARTINS.

A Churchman's daughter,	£0	5	0
A Churchwoman,		5	0
A Friend,		2	6
Barnes, John		5	0
Barnes, Mrs. John		2	6
Barnes, Henry		2	6
Baird, William		2	6
Connors, James		2	6
Cother, James		5	0
Chambers, Thomas		2	6
Debow, William		5	0
Debow, Mrs.		1	3
Debow, Stephen		6	0
Debow, Charles		5	0
Debow, Richard		2	6
Debow, William Junr.		3	0½
Debow, James		2	6
Demill, Henry Junr.		5	0
Demill, Mrs. Henry		5	0
Demill, Charles		5	0
Demill, James		5	0
Deveber, Rev. W. H.	2	0	0
Dodge, J. A.		5	0
Dodge, Mrs.		5	0
Dodge, Charles		1	3
Dodge, Fanny		1	3
Douglas, Henry		10	0
Douglas, James		5	0
Drummond, William		5	0
Drummond, Mary		2	6
Drummond, Samuel		2	6
Fenwick, Ezekiel		3	0½
Ferguson, John		5	0
Fletcher, George		2	9
Fletcher, W. Henry		5	0
Foster, John		10	0
Foster, Arthur		10	0
Foster, Edward H.		5	0
Foster, Robert S.		5	0
Foster, Mrs. R.		2	6
Foster, Samuel		3	0½
Fowler, Henry		17	6
Fowler, Noah		2	6
Fowler, James M. Senr.		10	0
Fowler, James M.		2	6

Fowler, Elizabeth Ann	£0	2	6
Fowler, Henry G.		5	0
Fowler, Daniel		10	0
Fowler, Joseph A.		7	6
Fowler, Mrs. William		5	0
Fowler, W. S.		5	0
Gregory, Thomas		5	0
Gulliver, George		2	6
Harvey, James		2	6
Hemphill, Michael		5	0
Hanlyn, Samuel		2	0
Hanlyn, Joseph		2	6
Hodgin, John		2	6
Hanlyn, Mary		1	3
Kilpatrick, Alexander Junr.		5	0
Kilpatrick, Joseph		2	6
Kilpatrick, James		1	3
Kilpatrick, John		1	3
Lackie, Samuel,		2	6
Lackie, Robert		2	6
Lyne, Samuel		2	6
Lyne, Mrs.		2	6
Lyne, Jane		2	0
Lyne, Margaret		1	3
Lyne, Caroline		1	3
Marshall, William		5	0
M'Intosh, Hugh		5	0
M'Gowan, Thomas		2	6
M'Gowan, Mrs.		2	6
M'Gowan, John J.		1	3
M'Aleer, William Junr.		2	6
Megarity, Philip		5	0
Megarity, James		2	6
Pattison, Robert B.	1	0	0
Pattison, Mrs.		10	0
Ross, Mrs. E.		2	6
Scott, William		5	0
Sherwood, Mrs. A.		10	0
Sherwood, John F.		5	0
Sherwood, Andrew		1	3
Sherwood, Charity E.		1	3
Sherwood, Richard		5	0
Smith, Edward		5	0
Smith, Caleb		2	6
Taylor, Samuel		5	0
Upham, Joshua		10	0
Upham, Jabez		10	0
Upham, J. Cutler		10	0
Upham, James W.		5	0
Upham, Nathaniel		5	0
Walker, Mrs. James		10	0
Walker, Margaret		5	0
Walker, Eliza		5	0
Wanamake, Mrs. James		5	0
Whitney, Henry		5	0
Woodberry, Mrs.		5	0
Walker, John		5	0
Walker, Mrs. John		2	6
Collections after Sermons,	6	10	0
	£31	15	7½

WELFORD.

Bears, Robert Senr.	£0	3	0
Call, Jonathan Senr.		2	6
Call, Jonathan Junr.		2	6
Call, Thomas		2	6
Farrar, John		1	3
Ford, J. P.	1	0	0
Ford, Oswald		10	0
Sowerby, Isaac		15	0
Sowerby, Mrs.		5	0
Smith, H. T.		10	0
Walker, Mrs. E		5	0
Wetmore, Rev. D. I.	1	0	0
Wetmore, Mrs.		3	9
	£5	0	0

WESTFIELD.

Ballentine, Mrs.	£0	1	3
Belyea, Mrs.		2	6
Britain, Mr. Robert		1	3
Britain, Mrs. Robert		1	3
Britain, Sarah		1	3
Britain, Margaret		1	3
Campbell, Samuel		1	3
Carter, Mrs.		2	0
Crawford, G.		2	6
Cronk, Stephen		5	0
Cronk, Stephen Junr.		2	6
Cronk, Rebecca		1	3
Cronk, Isabella			6
Cronk, Benjamin		1	10½
Cronk, David C.		2	6
Cheyne, Mrs. Robert		2	6
Cheyne, Bertha J.			7½
Cheyne, John F.			7½
Cheyne, Miss		1	3
Day, John		1	3
DeVeber, N. H.		10	0
DeVeber, Mrs. N. H.		2	6
Elliot, Armstrong		2	6
Friend, A		1	3
Finlay, Mr. and Mrs.		5	0
Finlay, Mrs.		1	3
Grier, William		1	3
Hayter, Mr.		3	0½
Hayter, William F.		2	6
Hayter, Mrs.		1	3
Hazen, Robert F. Esq.	2	10	0
Heightle, William		5	0
Heightle, Miss		1	3
Law, Robert		1	3
Lingley, Abraham		1	3
Lingley, Thomas		1	3
Lingley, Mrs. Thomas		1	3
Lingley, Edward		1	3
M'Kenzie, D.		5	0
Miles, Jeremiah		1	3
Milligan, John		1	3
Milligan, Mrs. Ann		1	3

Milner, Rev. C.	£1	0	0
Milner, Mrs.		5	0
M'Conkey, Samuel		2	0
Mowry, Miss		1	3
Nase, Philip		5	0
Nase, Jane Q.		1	3
Nase, Henry Junr.		1	3
Nase, W. H.		1	3
Nase, Mrs. William		1	3
Parks, James		2	6
Parker, Craig		2	6
Parker, Harriet J.			7½
Parker, Isabella			7½
Parker, E. A.			6
Parker, William		1	3
Rose, Sophia		2	6
Simonds, Robert		3	0
Simpson, Isabella		3	0
Stevens, B.		3	0
Stevens, Mrs. J. B.		1	3
Stevens, Miss Sarah		1	3
Stevens, Edward		5	0
Stevens, Jeremiah		2	5½
Theal, William		1	3
Walsh, William		3	6
Waters, Joel Senr.		7	6
Whelpley, Mrs. Daniel		2	6
Whelpley, John		2	6
Whelpley, Mrs. John		1	3
Whelpley, James		2	6
Whelpley, William H.			7½
Four Collections,	1	15	10½
	£12	12	4½

WESTMORLAND.

Buckerfield, Mrs.	£0	10	0
Bliss, D. M.	1	0	0
Bliss, Mrs.	1	0	0
Bliss, A. S.		10	9
Carter, Samuel		2	6
Carter, Mrs. S.		1	3
Carter, Rufus		2	6
Carter, Mrs. Rufus		2	6
Chappele, John		2	6
Etler, Peter	1	0	0
Etler, George		2	6
Etler, Peter Junr.		5	0
Etler, Mrs. Peter		2	6
Firman, Sidney		5	0
Kelly, Mrs.		1	3
Keiller, T. C.		6	3
King, Robert D.		5	0
King, Mrs.		2	6
Lowerison, Mrs.		5	0
Lowerison, Thomas		1	3
Lowerison, Martin		2	6
Lowther, Mrs.		5	0
Lowther, Rufus		3	1½
Moore, Mrs.		7	6
M'Leod, Mrs.	£0	2	6
Martin, Mrs. A.			7½
Oulton, George		15	0
Oulton, Mrs.		5	0
Oulton, T. E.		10	0
Oulton, Mrs. T. E.		5	0
Prescott, Mrs.		2	6
Silver, Gay		5	0
Siddall, Ralph		5	0
Siddall, Mrs. Ralph		5	0
Siddall, Emma		1	3
Siddall, Stephen		5	0
Siddall, Charles		5	0
Silliken, Chappale		1	3
Surrey, William		5	0
Toby, John		2	6
Woodman, John.	1	0	0
Woodman, Mrs.		10	0
Woodman, Eliza		5	0
Woodman, Alexander		5	0
First Collection,	1	5	0
Second do.	1	10	0
	£16	0	0

WOODSTOCK.

Akerley, Moses		5	0
Allan, John T.		5	0
Atkinson, Robert		5	0
Atkinson, Mrs. Robert		2	6
Atkinson, William F.		1	3
Atkinson, Catherine F.			7½
Atkinson, Walter W.			7½
Atkinson, Marian J.			7½
Atkinson, Edith Eliza			7½
Atkinson, John		3	0
Atkinson, Mrs. John		3	0
Bagley, Samuel		3	9
Baird, William T.		5	0
Baird, John D.		5	0
Balloch, James		2	6
Barker, Robert		2	6
Barker, Mrs. Robert		5	0
Barker, R. C.		1	3
Bedell, John		10	0
Bedell, P. Micheau		2	6
Bedell, Mrs. P. M.		2	6
Bedell, Helen		1	3
Bedell, Frances E.		1	3
Bedell, Walter J.		3	0
Bedell, G. Augustus		5	0
Bedell, Margaret A.		2	6
Bedell, J. Jarvis		2	6
Bedell, Miss		5	0
Bedell, Walter D.		5	0
Beardsley, John D.		6	3
Beardsley, Richie Ann		5	0
Beardsley, Charles		5	0
Beardsley, Mrs. Ralph D.		1	3
Bell, William		3	0

Bell, Mrs. William	£0	3	0
Bell, Arthur Junr.		1	6
Bell, Thomas Junr.		1	6
Bell, Benjamin		2	6
Bell, Mrs. Benjamin		2	0
Bell, Mary		1	6
Bell, Alexander		3	9
Bell, Arthur		4	6
Bourne, Thomas G.		2	6
Bourne, Mrs. T. G.		2	6
Broderick, Mrs.		1	3
Brown, G. A. (M. D.)		5	0
Brown, Mrs. G. A.		2	6
Brown, Bertha		2	6
Brown, Clowes		2	6
Brown, Robert		5	0
Bull, Mrs. George		5	0
Bull, Mrs. Richard		5	0
Bull, George N.		5	0
Bull, Mrs. G. N.		2	6
Bull, Charles H.		2	6
Bull, Mrs. Charles H.		2	6
Bull, Frank, W.		5	0
Bull, Charles		2	6
Bull, Abner		6	0
Clements, Mrs.		2	6
Clements, Margaret		2	6
Clements, Emma		1	3
Caldwell, John		5	0
Caldwell, Mrs. John		5	0
Caldwell, Robert		5	0
Caldwell, Mary and Elizabeth		2	6
Cluff, Mary		2	6
Connell, Mrs.		5	0
Connell, Mrs. Charles		5	0
Connell, Mrs. George		5	0
Cox, Mrs. John S.		2	6
Crozier, Francis		2	6
Crozier, Mrs. Francis		2	6
Cunliffe, E. A.		2	6
Cunliffe, Mrs. E. A.		2	6
Cunliffe, Joseph		1	3
Cunliffe, Ellis		3	0
Cunliffe, Mrs. Ellis		3	0
Currie, Andrew		3	0
Currie, Mrs. Andrew		3	0
Dalling, Thomas		3	0
Dibblee, John		5	0
Dibblee, Miss		2	6
Dibblee, Henry E.		5	0
Dibblee, D. L.		5	0
Dibblee, William F.		7	6
Dibblee, Mrs. William F.		7	6
Dibblee, George Y.		2	6
Dibblee, J. T. A.		2	6
Dibblee, Richard		2	6
Donaldson, Robert		2	6
Donaldson, Mrs. Robert		2	6
Donaldson, Robert G.		1	3
Dow, Henry		5	0

Dow, Mrs. Henry	£0	5	0
Dow, Emma		1	3
Dow, Bessy		1	3
Dow, Julia		1	3
Dow, Mary		1	3
Dow, Ida		1	3
Dow, George F.		1	3
Emery, Charles		2	6
Emery, Mrs. Charles		2	6
Emery, Matilda		1	3
Emery, Scott		2	6
Emery, Mrs. Scott		2	6
Emery, Charles H.		1	6
Emery, Margaret A.		1	6
English, Mrs.		5	0
Erskine, Mary		2	6
Evans, Thomas L.		5	0
Fairweath, Andrew		2	6
Garden, H. M. G.		5	0
Garden, Mrs. H. M. G.		2	6
Garden, Louisa		1	3
Garden, Henry B.		1	3
Gartley, Thomas		4	6
Gartley, George		3	0
Gartley, Thomas Junr.		3	0
Gentle, Mrs.		3	9
Gibson, Alexander		2	6
Gibson, Mrs. Alexander		2	6
Gibson, Joseph		1	3
Gibson, Robert B.		1	3
Gibson, John C.			7½
Gibson, Alexander Junr.			7½
Gidney, Isaac		2	6
Green, Mrs. Thomas		2	6
Gray, William		6	0
Griffith, B. P.		5	0
Griffith, Mrs. B. P.		2	6
Griffith, Mary		1	3
Griffith, Sarah B.		1	3
Griffith, William		3	7
Griffith, Percy		1	3
Griffith, Robert		2	6
Grover, James		10	0
Grover, Mrs. James		5	0
Grover, Robert E.		1	3
Grover, Mary L.		1	3
Grover, Rupert W.		1	3
Grover, Caroline M.		1	3
Gurney, Robert		5	0
Hall, Samuel P.		1	3
Hammond, William		5	0
Hammond, Mrs. William		4	4½
Hamilton, Major		2	6
Harper, Mrs.		2	6
Harper, John		2	6
Harper, Mrs. John		2	6
Harper, William Frederick			7½
Harper, Ann E.			7½
Harper, James		2	6
Harper, Mrs. James		2	6

	£	s.	d.
Harper, John Junr.	£0	1	3
Harper, Aaron A.		1	3
Harper, Ann A.			7½
Harper, Samuel C.			7½
Hannah, Mrs. William		3	1½
Henderson, Catherine		2	6
Holmes, Samuel		2	6
Holmes, Mrs. Samuel		2	6
Ingram, Mrs.		6	0
Jacob, Miss		10	0
Jamieson, Charles S.		3	0
Jamieson, Mrs. Charles S.		3	0
Jordan, James		2	6
Kergan, John		2	6
Kergan, Mrs. John		2	6
Ketchum, James		10	0
Ketchum, Richard B.		5	0
Ketchum, Mrs. Richard B.		2	6
Ketchum, Ralph		10	0
Ketchum, Mrs. Ralph		5	0
Ketchum, Richard R.		1	3
Ketchum, Ada Paten		1	3
Ketchum, Evelyn Blanche		1	3
Ketchum, Eva Eugenia		1	3
Ketchum, George H.		7	6
Ketchum, John D.		7	6
Kilburn, Ivory		3	0
Longstaff, Robinson		3	0
Longstaff, Mrs. Robinson		3	0
London, Mrs. John		3	0
London, Mansfield			9
London, John Junr.			9
Lyon, F. A.		1	9
Lyon, Mrs. F. A.		2	0
M'Bride, John		3	0
M'Bride, John Junr.		1	6
M'Bride, Arthur		2	9
M'Bride, Ms. Arthur		2	6
M'Bride, Robert		3	1½
M'Bride, Thomas		3	1½
M'Bride, Mary		1	3
M'Coy, James		10	0
M'Coy, Mrs. James		5	0
M'Coy, Isaiah		2	6
M'Coy, Margaret A.		2	6
M'Cullough, Robert		4	6
M'Intyre, Patrick		2	6
M'Intyre, Mrs. Patrick		2	6
M'Intyre, Robert		2	6
M'Intyre, Mary		2	6
M'Intyre, William		2	6
M'Intyre, John	1	0	0
M'Kinley, James		2	6
M'Kinley, Mrs. James		3	1½
M'Kee, John		2	6
M'Kee, Mrs. John		2	0
M'Kee, Thomas		3	0
M'Kee, Mary		2	6
M'Kee, Elizabeth		1	3
M'Keen, William		3	0

	£	s.	d.
M'Keen, Mrs. William	£0	3	0
M'Lellan, John		3	0
Marven, Mrs.		2	6
Montgomery, Henry		3	0
Montgomery, Mrs. Henry		1	6
Munro, David		5	0
Parks, George H.		5	0
Parks, Mrs. George H.		5	0
Parks, Marian		2	6
Peabody, Mrs. Charles		2	6
Perley, Mrs. Charles		5	0
Perley, W. Howard		5	0
Purrington, Lewis		3	0
Pheasant, William		5	0
Raymond, Charles		10	0
Raymond, Charles W.		10	0
Raymond, Mrs. C. W.		7	6
Raymond, William O.		1	3
Raymond, C. Lee Street		1	3
Raymond, Mrs. Philip		5	0
Rice, Mrs.		5	0
Russell, Hugh		3	1½
Saunders, Lewis		5	0
Simondson, John N.		2	6
Simondson, Mrs. John N.		2	6
Simondson, Anne		1	3
Simondson, James		3	1½
Skillen, W.		5	0
Smith, Stephen (M. D.)		5	0
Smith, Albert		6	0
Smith, Mrs. Albert		3	1½
Smith, Eliza		1	3
Smith, William D.		5	0
Smith, Lewis		5	0
Smith, Mrs. E.		3	1½
Smith, Jacob		2	6
Smith, Mrs. Jacob		1	3
Smith, Maria		1	3
Smith, Margaret		1	3
Stokes, William		3	9
Stewart, John		3	0
Stephens, John		5	0
Stone, Ezekiel		2	6
Stephenson, Mrs.		2	6
Street, Rev. S. D. Lee		10	0
Street, Mrs. S. D. Lee		5	0
Street, Sarah L.		2	6
Street, John Inglis		1	3
Street, Alfred F.		1	3
Strickland, George		5	0
Strickland, Mrs. George		2	6
Strickland, J. Eugenia		1	3
Strickland, Kate R.		1	3
Strong, Thomas		2	6
Strong, Mrs. Thomas		2	0
Strong, Jane		1	6
Strong, William		3	0
Strong, Mrs. William		3	0
Strong, Isaac		4	6
Strong, Frances		1	6

Tapley, Osmond	£0	2	6
Tapley, Mrs. Osmond		2	6
Tapley, John			7½
Tapley, George			7½
Tapley, Mary E.			7½
Tapley, Hulda Jane			7½
Tapley, Frederick			7½
Tapley, Charles			7½
Tracey, Mrs. Stephen		5	0
Upham, Mrs. James		2	6
Upham, Augustus		2	6
Upham, Henry		3	9
Wetmore, A. K. Smedes		10	0
Wetmore, Mrs. A. K. S.		5	0
Wetmore, James P.		5	0
Winslow, J. F. W. (H.Sheriff)		5	0
Winslow, Mrs.		5	0
Winslow, Wentworth		5	0
Winslow, F. E.		5	0
Winslow, Mrs. F. E.		5	0
Winslow, John C.		5	0
Winslow, J. Bradshaw		5	0
Wilson, George		3	0
Wilson, John		3	0
Wilson, Catherine		3	0
Woodman, Rev. E.		10	0
Collections in all the Churches on the 31st January, 1858, . .	4	5	10
	£53	12	6½

KINGSTON.

Appleby, John	£0	2	6
Black, Alexander	1	0	0
Brien, John		2	6
Crawford, Frederick		5	0
Crawford, Mrs. S.		5	0
Dixon, John and Mrs.		7	6
Dixon, Thomas		4	0
Flewelling, D. W.	£0	5	0
Flewelling, Enos H.		5	0
Flewelling, Enos J.		5	0
Flewelling, Merritt W.		5	0
Flewelling, P. W. & S. E.		2	6
Flewelling, Robert J		5	0
Flewelling, William J.		2	6
Flewelling, William P.	1	0	0
Foster, I. H.		6	3
Foster, S. Esq.,	1	0	0
Foster, Sophia		2	6
Gorham, N. R.		3	6
Holder, Robert		2	6
Hoyt, Samuel		5	0
Hoyt, Charles		5	0
Hoyt, Jarvis		5	0
Hoyt, George		2	6
M'Alary, Alexander		2	6
Nichols, Jane and Phœbe		5	0
Northrup, James S.		5	0
Northrup, Eli S.		5	0
Northrup, Daniel		5	0
Paddock, John		2	6
Pickett, David		10	0
Pickett, Justus		2	6
Puddington, D. W.		2	6
Puddington, J. W.		2	6
Scovil, Mrs. and Miss H.	1	0	0
Scovil, Rev. W. E.	1	0	0
Scribner, James		1	3
Wetmore, David Junr.		5	0
Wetmore, Justus S. Esq.	1	0	0
Wetmore, Justus		2	6
Whelpley, G. F. and Mrs.		10	0
Whelpley, James		5	0
Whiting, Charles		2	6
Whiting, William		2	6
Collections,	11	0	0
	£25	0	0

APPENDIX.

DIOCESAN CHURCH SOCIETY.

The Anniversary Meeting for the Diocesan Church Society of this Province, took place on Thursday evening, the 11th February, at Fredericton, in the Madras School Room, His Excellency the Honorable J. H. T. Manners Sutton, &c. &c., Lieutenant Governor, Patron of the Society, in the Chair.

The Lord Bishop, the Venerable the Archdeacon, and several of the clergy, with the Lay Delegates, including many members of the Legislature, were present. The room was well filled, though the weather was unfavorable, with a large assembly of ladies and gentlemen, who appeared to take a lively interest in the proceedings.

The proceedings were opened as usual by the Secretary with prayer.

His Excellency was pleased to address the meeting as follows:—

The object, character and general position of this Society are so well known, and the claims which it has to the support of every member of the Church of England in our Province are so fully recognised, that I doubt very much whether I should not best perform the duty, which I have with great pleasure undertaken, of presiding over this meeting, by at once calling on the Secretary to read the Report; and I feel moreover that in addressing to you any observations, I may perhaps trespass upon the functions of my reverend friend the Secretary, whose duty it will be to read that Report. But there are one or two points which I think especially worthy of notice, and to which therefore I wish to call your attention, without however entering into any of those details which will be explained by the Secretary.

I am then most happy to find that the collections and subscriptions of the last year, have exceeded those of the previous year. This would of itself, under any circumstances, be matter of congratulation. But if these increased subscriptions had been a solitary instance, or had arisen from casual or temporary circumstances, I should not have been disposed to regard it with the same feelings of satisfaction which I now entertain. When, however, we recollect that for many successive years, the collections and subscriptions have been progressively increasing, and that the subscriptions of the last year, therefore, have not only exceeded those of the previous year, but also those of any former year, and when we remember that this excess has not arisen from any casual or temporary circumstances (for the events of the past year have not been such as would in themselves decrease the difficulty of collecting subscriptions), the fact to which I have called your attention is, I think, a source for sincere congratulation; inasmuch as it affords satisfactory proof that this Society has outlived the dangers and trials to which every such association is necessarily subject in its infancy, and that it has struck its roots deep in the affections of the members of the Church, whose confidence and support have grown in proportion to their experience of its operations.

But while I congratulate you upon this state of affairs, I am sure you will agree with me that all has not yet been done which is required to be done. I think that one of the most interesting facts in the Report which will be read this evening, is that which gives a statement of the amount of exertions and labours to which the clergy of the Church of England are subject in this Province. Those clergymen are, as you know, gentlemen of irreproachable character, for had they not been of irreproachable character, they would not have been ordained. They have necessarily undergone a

long course of education, which, in proportion to its length, has been expensive. Remember, too, that in entering the ministry here they have given up all hope of that successful advancement which is dear to all—dear to humanity in general, and certainly not less dear to the people of this Province, than to the inhabitants of any other part of the world. Compare the labours and exertions of these men with the pittance they receive, and I am sure you will not think that all has been done which ought to be done, or may be done, or, as I hope, will hereafter be done.

We hear of many applications for new Churches in different parts of the Province: I for one hail these applications with great satisfaction, for they show an increased desire on the part of the members of the Church, for opportunities of enjoying its services. But when I see the extensive field in which each Missionary has to labor, when I see the enormous number of miles which he has to travel, then, much as I should rejoice in the multiplication of Churches, I cannot but think that the multiplication of clergymen is of still greater importance. But while I would wish to impress upon you the claims of the clergy of the Church of England here for some relief, you will bear in mind that I do not ask it for them personally, and certainly I do not believe that there is a single clergyman who would ask it of you in that sense. You will observe, that they do not ask for increase of remuneration, but of an increase in the number of churches, which would increase their labors, but this fact certainly does not disentitle them to the consideration of the association.

When therefore I heard that in the present state of the funds, it had been determined in the first instance to provide additional clergymen for several destitute districts soliciting the Society's aid, I must say that I regarded this as a wise determination; and I believe, as well as hope, where clergymen are sent, church accommodation will within a short time be provided.

You are aware that the aid which has hitherto been received from home—from the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts—is continued only for a time, and is in course of diminution. I think no member of our Church will be disposed to blame that Society for the course it has taken, in consequence of the many calls made upon it to establish missions in various parts of the world; nor am I certain that this course will wholly be unproductive of good. Many persons, especially those who come from England, are too much in the habit of believing that a minister of the Church of England is the minister of a richly endowed church. True, this is so in England, but even there the church accommodation, and the number of clergymen—insufficient as they now are—would have been more so, were it not for the assistance of the laity. And here, it must be remembered that the clergy of the Church of England are not the ministers of a richly endowed church. On the contrary the Church of England is, in reality, as dependent upon the active co-operation of the laity as any other denomination whatever. I believe the people are preparing themselves for the eventual withdrawal of the assistance hitherto received from the Society at home, and although we may regret the necessity for increased exertions, and such a necessity is seldom pleasant, I do not see reason to fear that the eventual withdrawal will be, in its ultimate results, detrimental to the interests of the Church of England in this Province. It will, I hope, be regarded, not only as a call to increased exertion, but as a proof that this exertion must be made if the Church of England is to exist here; and if it be made with hearty good will, I believe the prosperity of the church will be materially increased in the Province.

And now, gentlemen, I am assured I have detained you too long. The time that I have consumed cannot now be re-called; but I shall make the best amends in my power, by at once calling upon the Secretary to read the Report. His Excellency resumed his seat amid general tokens of applause.

The Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, Secretary of the Society, then read the Report.

His Lordship the Bishop then arose to move the first Resolution, to adopt the Report. I need say but little, said His Lordship, in re-

ference to the Report, as it speaks for itself, but I cannot refrain from congratulating the Society on the pleasing state of their affairs. We meet His Excellency here, not simply as a State Officer, but as a gentleman taking a warm interest in the welfare of the Society—as a gentleman born and educated in England, and attached to the Church from conviction, and determined to adhere to it as long as he lived; and such I believe is the sentiment entertained by the members of the Society. I am proud of the measure of success the Society has met with. The worthy Secretary appears to be rising to his work; for as the Reports year after year are still better and more encouraging, the Secretary himself seems to be more full of joy in his work, and better fitted for it. (Applause.) Still we must increase our exertions and press forward. It would not be difficult to find employment for twenty additional Missionaries, if we had the means of supporting them. The people throughout the Province were thinly scattered over a great extent of country, in many places the settlements being remote from each other, and in order to preach to such numbers as would form but one moderate congregation, the Missionary is obliged to travel from one settlement to another, and in many instances the duties allotted to a Missionary become too arduous for one man to perform. I should be sorry to see this Society become a drag upon the Parent Society in England; that Society had enough to bear without it, as the Church in forty Colonies were more or less dependant on it. Some of the contributors to that Society thought the time was come when New Brunswick ought to support her own Clergy, and it was evident the time was coming when the assistance now afforded New Brunswick would be withheld. I only hope it may not be done too soon; and when the time shall come, I hope we shall be prepared for it, and that, by the blessing of God and our own exertions, the Church in this Province will still go on and prosper. The Report that has just been read spoke of the necessity of having travelling Missionaries, and I feel the necessity, as I have myself been a travelling Missionary for the last thirteen years. I have travelled over this large Diocese five times, and many parts of it I have visited much oftener. I will not obtrude upon the meeting the details of all these visitations: it would appear ostentatious; but I will, with your approval, read from my minutes an account of my last visitation. I hope I shall be excused for reading, as His Excellency the Chairman knows very well, that it is easier to read a written sermon in twenty minutes than to preach one extempore in fifty. His Lordship then read the following diary:

After the Ordination of Rev. C. F. Street, and of Mr. W. Cruden, of Trinity College, Toronto, on Ember Week, I left Fredericton on St. Barnabas Day, June 11, for St. Andrews. On Sunday, the 14th, I confirmed twenty-nine, and preached morning and evening. The Rector and Rev. T. W. Street assisted in the service. The congregations on both occasions were large and attentive. Dr. Alley, who has held the Rectory between thirty and forty years, is still able, by the blessing of God, to perform three full services on Sunday, one of them at a village three miles distant from the parish Church: a duty which very few at his advanced age could perform. He requires, however, the help of a curate. I noticed in this Church that the singing was much improved. I was also pleased to find that a project was on foot for a new parish Church, both more commodious and Church-like, in which I earnestly hope the good sense of the parishioners will allow the seats to be free.

June 16.—I proceeded with Dr. Alley to St. Stephens, where Mr. G. Thomson kindly received me, and on 17th confirmed 11. The number would probably have been larger, but for the intended removal of the Curate to Canada. It was a great satisfaction to me on this occasion to be assisted by the Right Rev. Dr. Burgess, Bishop of Maine, who very kindly preached to us, and gave us a most earnest and instructive discourse, useful alike to old and young—which I enjoyed exceedingly. He was accompanied by his valued friend and Presbyter, the Rev. G. W. Durell, who has been of signal benefit to this Diocese, not only incidentally by his successful efforts at Calais, but by his discharging as much of the duty of the Curate as could possibly be expected during Dr. Thomson's absence in Ireland. Our own clergy, Drs. Alley and Thomson, were also present. The Church of St. Stephen's has

been greatly improved, by the addition of a new chancel, an excellent organ, a better arrangement of the pulpit and desk, a new communion-table and chair, carved, I believe, by Mr. Durell's own hands, and by being painted throughout. The singing was also much improved. For many of these additions to the Church, and for much of its life and spirit, we are indebted to the zealous liberality of a young layman, whose modesty might perhaps be pained if I mentioned his name, but whose kindnesses will not be forgotten by his blessed Master.

JUNE 18.—I proceeded to St. David's—confirmed 9, and preached. There was a large and attentive congregation, though the day was wet. This Church is a noticeable object from the road-side, from its substantial and handsome tower; and its interior completeness is very satisfactory. As a whole, it is one of the best of our country churches, and reflects great credit on the zeal of its pastor, Rev. J. S. Thomson.

JUNE 19.—Mr. Thomson drove me to St. Patrick, distant 13 miles. It was a wet and fatiguing day. I confirmed 7 persons there, and preached. Mr. Carson extended to us his usual kind hospitality. It were much to be desired, when the funds of the Society admit of it, that St. Patrick should have a missionary resident nearer the church and people. The roads are bad, and access to the mission often difficult. The church is sadly out of repair, and is placed in a romantic but impracticable position, on the slope of a very steep hill, some way off the road.

On the 20th I went to Campobello, to a house where hospitality always makes a welcome, and on Sunday 21st confirmed 5, and preached twice in St. Anne's Chapel, lately built by the exertions of Hon. Captain Robinson, aided by the help of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, the Diocesan Church Society of this Province, the parishioners, and a few friends. The Rev. J. S. Williams assisted me, and accompanied me in walks to visit some sick and suffering members of the congregation, and some young and old persons. This mission has seriously felt the want of a resident clergyman; and the absence of any Episcopal services for so long a time in Maine, with the neighborhood of Eastport, a town filled with sects of many kinds, has contributed to the difficulties of the position. In these outlying places it requires a great deal of persuasion to bring people to church. However, the Missionary has two services on the Lord's Day, and an excellent Sunday-school; he has established daily service—he has succeeded in preparing several adults for holy baptism—he has occasional services in other parts of the island; and the godly lives of several of his young catechumens, one or more of whom have died in the faith, attest that his labours are not in vain. The choir in this place owes much to his constant training, as well as to the untiring attendance and influence of Mrs. Robinson. Feeling much refreshed by my stay in this place, I left it on Saturday the 27th in the packet, accompanied by Dr. Alley, and with some difficulty and not a few curious adventures or misadventures, we reached Rev. T. Carey's parsonage at Grand Manan after dark, very much disposed to retire to rest. The next day (Sunday) I confirmed 4 and baptized an adult, and preached again in the afternoon, assisted by Dr. Alley. Mr. Carey, at my request, rode five miles to take his usual service; but all his flock had come up the same five miles to hear the Bishop, so that his labour was lost. The congregation was very attentive; and I saw with pleasure many old familiar faces, and heard them join heartily in the prayers, and some of them still more heartily in the singing. Mr. Craig, who seems elected to be churchwarden for life, was at his post as usual. The next day I went to Seal Cove, and held services there and preached. Thence over a very rough road to Southern Head, where I baptized Mrs. M'Caughlan and three infants, and confirmed Mr. and Mrs. M'Caughlan. As they reside on Gannet Rock, eight miles from shore, and perfectly inaccessible for three-fourths of the year, my visit was timed very seasonably. I have since sent them a little present of books, as they have a great deal of time for reading. At Grand Manan I left behind me a letter to the Churchwardens and Vestry, urging them to do something effectual towards their pastor's support, which I think the islanders are able to do. Being little affected by the lumber trade, and having a never-failing supply of fish, with a milder climate, they are evidently prospering.

On Tuesday the 30th we left Mr. Carey's hospitable parsonage, and without let or hinderance reached Campobello the same evening. On Saturday I reached St. George, and on Sunday, July 5th, I preached, having confirmed 39 in that little village—a very considerable number, considering that there is also a Roman Catholic, a Baptist, and I believe a Presbyterian congregation there. There is a good Sunday-school and an excellent day school in the place. In the afternoon we went to Pennfield, seven miles distant, where I

confirmed 12. The congregation was crowded. It is not too much to say of this mission, that I never visit it without fresh evidence of the zeal and usefulness of its pastor; and I never leave it without being strengthened and refreshed. It is much to be wished that the parishioners would provide Mr. M'Givern with a comfortable parsonage. He has great claims on their consideration, and it is not right that the rent of the house he occupies should be a deduction from the offerings of the people.

On Tuesday we drove to Lepreaux, where Mr. Bedell kindly met me, and thence 13 miles (happily accompanied by a guide, for otherwise in crossing the tide-harbour we should probably have had a good wetting or worse), and reached Lepreaux light-house in the evening. Here Mr. Thomas hospitably received us, and the next day I confirmed 10, baptized a child, administered the Lord's Supper, and preached in the little church at Dipper Harbour, three miles distant—Mr. Bedell assisting. After service I had a long conversation with the people on the necessity of a suitable contribution to the Missionary, and they undertook to contribute £15 a year, on the understanding that they should have service on Sundays once a month, and every alternate Wednesday besides. This matter being arranged, we started for Musquash, where, the next day, I confirmed 6, preached, and administered the Lord's Supper with the assistance of Mr. Bedell. The church at Musquash has been much improved since the incumbency of Mr. Bedell, and a chancel has been built. The congregation are remarkable for their excellent way of responding, the two Churchwardens and their families setting them a good example in this respect. The singing is also hearty and general. Thursday and part of Friday I remained under the hospitable roof of Mr. Garbutt; and on Saturday Mr. Bedell drove me from St. John to Pisarinco, where I confirmed 4 and preached, though the congregation consisted only of nine persons, including the four confirmed. This settlement furnishes one of the instances from which it appears that the Church gains little or nothing by efforts in a community almost all of whom belong to other religious persuasions. When the late Missionary went among these people, almost all of whom were Presbyterians or Methodists, he supposed that having no minister of their own they would all join the Church. But experience has proved that he was mistaken. Such efforts, in short, are more costly than successful. An occasional service is all that can be required at Pisarinco, as the Church at Manawagonish is not very distant. On Sunday the 12th I confirmed 5, baptized 8 adults, one an aged man of seventy, who was baptized, confirmed, and received the Lord's Supper the same day—Mr. Bedell assisting as before. The Church was well filled. Many from St. John were present. The singing was excellent.

The next day, 97 persons, of whom I was glad to see a goodly number of young men, received the rite of confirmation at Trinity Church, St. John; and I addressed them at some length. The Rector, the Rev. F. Coster, G. Armstrong, W. Armstrong, W. Scovil, Professor Hensley of Windsor, N. S., and Dr. Williamson of Canada, were present. The congregation was large and very attentive, and the behaviour of the young people very devout. The contributions, I am glad to find, from this parish have largely increased during and in spite of the present depressed state of trade; and a successful offshoot from it exists in the parish of St. James, where also the contributions are considerably larger.

Tuesday, 14th, 40 were confirmed at Portland Church; the Rector, Rev. C. Lee, W. Scovil, and Professor Hensley, were present and assisted. The same orderly and devout behaviour was apparent. In this parish also the contributions to the Church Society are also larger this year.

On Thursday, Mr. H. Simonds, whose kind hospitality I was enjoying, drove me to Black River, where I confirmed 8 young women, and 10 young men, a very unusual proportion—the Rev. J. Disbrow and Professor Hensley assisting in the service. On Friday I went up to Hampton in the steamer, and on Sunday confirmed 37 in the parish Church, and addressed a congregation so crowded that sixty or seventy persons could not find seat-room. Some money has been collected for the improvement of this church, for the erection of a chancel, and if unanimity can be secured, of making the seats free. Already a very pretty lych-gate has been erected from the designs of Mr. Otty, and a handsome and substantial fence. In the afternoon I proceeded to Norton, where I confirmed 18 and preached. The Rector, and Mr. Walker, and Mr. Simonds, assisted, as in the morning. The singing was excellent; and staying to practice with the choir, the time passed rapidly away—I did not return till eight o'clock. On Monday, 20th, Mr. DeVeber drove me to his parsonage at Upham. Mr. Walker accompanied us; and at his request I turned aside from the road

to visit and confirm a blind woman, aged 84, in her own house. She appeared very devout and very thankful for my visit. On Tuesday we went to Quaco, distant twelve miles; but from the extremely hilly nature of the road, one hill being nearly three miles and another two miles long, it appears much further. The mission of Quaco for a long time was in a very doubtful state, and the people were very apathetic. By perseverance, however, progress has been made; the building purchased from the Methodists has been gradually converted into something like a church; it is floored and ceiled, and has rough benches; and I hope by my next visit, please God, to be called on to consecrate it. The congregation are very steady, and though the day was unfavourable, more than one hundred were assembled. I confirmed 8. At Quaco is a remarkable instance of faith and courage in the midst of difficulties. A widow and her daughter steadfastly adhered to our Church amidst many temptations to desert it, when there was no clergyman within walking distance, nor any ministrations of the Church performed; and when I visited the place twelve years ago, in company with Rev. Dr. Gray, I was compelled to hold service in a Baptist meeting, which they kindly offered for the purpose. This steadfastness is now rewarded by the untiring assiduity with which the Missionary performs his laborious duty. On the 23d we drove to Londonderry, a settlement eighteen miles distant, among the hills which are crossed on the new road to Albert County from St. John. The little chapel was now consecrated by the name of St. Paul. It was crowded to its utmost capacity by a most attentive body of worshippers and hearers, who drank in every word, though I spoke for nearly an hour; and I am sure I felt as happy as they appeared to be. Some curious proofs were related to me of the readiness of some of these rough soldiers of the cross to defend the Bishop, not only by word of mouth, but if necessary by more powerful weapons. On our return we dined at the hospitable house of a Presbyterian, whose wife and children had all been confirmed. On the 25th I confirmed nine at the little hamlet of South Stream, where there is a small congregation; and on Sunday I confirmed 18 at the parish Church, and preached morning and evening. Among the numerous congregation in the morning, was an aged woman of eighty, who forty years since was an inmate of his Excellency General Smythe's family, and who, though living in the bush, had remained steadfast in the communion of the Church. She had walked three miles to church this summer, and now the missionary went ten miles to fetch her, and brought her back full of a trembling joy to receive the rite of confirmation. On my return to Fredericton I sent her a copy of Hele's Devotions to cheer her aged eyes. This is one of the most laborious missions in the Province; too much so indeed for any one man, or I may say for any one horse; but it is well served, and the fruits are apparent. It is one of the pleasing instances of general contentment and of great liberality on the part of the people; and though there are no very wealthy persons in the parish, they have regularly paid their pastor £60 a year for six years, and of their own accord offered him £80 if he would stay (God willing) another six years. And though this mission always gives me a laborious round of work, yet I never leave it without comfort and satisfaction. May it always so continue. Beginning with most useful but necessarily infrequent visits of the Rev. Mr. Walker, many years since, it now exhausts the labours of one clergyman, and urgently demands the help of another. Mr. DeVeber kindly drove me to Springfield on 22d July, and though by miscalculation I arrived a day before my time, yet the people, on due notice by Mr. Bliss, cheerfully left their work and came to church in considerable numbers. I met there also Dr. Clark of Waterbury, Connecticut, and Rev. W. Scovil. 24 were confirmed, and I preached. The next day Mr. H. Scovil drove me to the River, and I reached Fredericton on the 24th, having travelled 624 miles.

Monday the 27th I left home for Oak Point, where I confirmed 14. The singing at this place was greatly improved; and a very good understanding appeared to subsist between pastor and people. Having been hospitably entertained by Mr. Wilmot, Mr. Wiggins drove me to the Jerusalem Settlement, where I confirmed 21; and after refreshment at Mr. Perkins', went on to Dr. Bayard's in Douglas Valley. There the next day I confirmed 5. The church in Douglas Valley is externally one of the most pleasing objects possible, with a site very happily chosen, is nearly ready for consecration, and I trust may eventually be filled with a numerous congregation. I regret extremely that the labours of the mission have proved too arduous for the missionary, and that he has been obliged to travel southwards in search of a milder climate. May his health be speedily restored.

Having been called to St. John to marry a brother clergyman from Bermuda, I took the opportunity of visiting Westfield, where I confirmed 25. A new church is in course of

erection here, and Mr. Milner has laboured hard to complete it. On Sunday the 9th August, I confirmed at Maugerville 15 in the morning, and was assisted by Dr. Wiggins. Great exertions have been made in this parish to complete a new church, which is very substantially and handsomely built—has an organ (formerly in St. Anne's chapel), and free seats throughout. Since it has been opened the congregation has increased one-third; and a stimulus seems to have been given to the building of another church seven miles below Burton, as well as to a similar design with regard to the decayed church at Burton. The singing is most creditable to the choir, and the parishioners have erected a memorial window to their late esteemed Rector, Rev. J. Stirling. Having preached also at Burton, I returned to the Cathedral on Sunday evening, and there also addressed the congregation.

On the 17th and 18th August I visited the parish of Douglas, and confirmed 17 in the middle and 10 in the upper church in this parish. A lower church (of stone) having been built through the exertions of Major F. Robinson, Mr. Roberts, of whose usefulness abundant evidence was given, has frequently three services on Sunday, and several stations in the country. The congregation in the lower church is an increasing one, and the communicants have also increased in the whole mission.

August 27th I had the pleasure of confirming 105 in the Cathedral, of whom 30 were soldiers. Two of the soldiers became communicants before they left the place, and the rest were supplied with a Bible and a Prayer-book each. I was assisted by the Archdeacon, Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, Rev. J. B. Medley, and Rev. W. Jaffrey, and the Cathedral was filled with a numerous and attentive congregation. Sept. 1, our anniversary services of the consecration were observed, and upwards of £87 was collected, partly for the Clergy Insurance Society and partly for the Cathedral Endowment Fund.

Sept. 2, in company with Rev. Messrs. Loosemore, H. Tippett, and Jaffrey, I visited Stanley, where the Church-people had kindly provided us with a public welcome at tea, and listened with great eagerness to our missionary address. The next day I confirmed 15 at Stanley and five at the lower Nashwaak church.

September 9th, I visited Gagetown, and confirmed there 24 persons, and transacted other business.

September 22, I left Fredericton with Rev. J. B. Medley for Prince William, where I confirmed 17, and the next day 42 at Magundy; among the rest an aged man of 89, with his two children, daughters-in-law, and five grand-children. The present Rector has been most kindly received, and is indefatigably engaged in the good work. His accession to our little band lays us under a second obligation to St. Augustine's College, Canterbury, of which my dear and valued friend Bishop Coleridge was the first warden; and I hope soon to be favoured with a third missionary student, to take the place of Rev. T. W. Street, Rector of St. Stephens, who has gone to Canada. Since my last visit to Prince William the organ has been set up in its place, and is a great help to the singing. The Sunday-school is now in full operation.

From Prince William we proceeded to Woodstock, where on Sunday the 27th I confirmed 35, and administered the Lord's Supper, assisted by Mr. Street and Dr. Wiggins, and I preached again in the evening. The next day I confirmed 18 at Richmond. In this thriving and populous neighborhood, where I am happy to say the best feeling has been shown to the Rector, there is quite work enough for a third clergyman. Even two have often more work laid on them than they can well bear. Taking the greater part of three duties each Sunday, with a journey of from 14 to 25 miles, is enough to break down any man whose constitution is not very robust. The clergy who have hitherto assisted Mr. Street, though very kindly treated by himself and the parishioners, are not ambitious to end their days as Curates of Woodstock—being very hardly worked, and very poorly paid. In my address at Richmond I directed the attention of the congregation to their duty in this respect, which they are now more able to discharge than heretofore. It ought, however, to be mentioned, that the parishioners of Woodstock presented their Rector with a new waggon the morning after my arrival. I was obliged, with the greatest reluctance, to omit my visitation to the upper part of the country in consequence of the illness of Mr. Hanford.

October the 24th I visited Kingston, whither I had been prevented from going in the usual course by domestic affliction in the family of Mr. Scovil, and on October 25th I confirmed in the church on the Reach (the parish church being under repair) 107 persons, being the largest number ever presented to me for confirmation in any one place in the Diocese. I am still more gratified to find that this confirmation has added largely to the

communicants, *one hundred and thirty-five*, all parishioners, having communicated on Christmas Day at Kingston, when the parish church was re-opened for Divine service, having been almost rebuilt. It is much improved by a central passage, a small chancel, and by the removal of two most unsightly desks; and the whole expense—being, I believe, more than £900—is met without any application for aid to the Diocesan Church Society; though I am afraid an undue proportion will fall on the Rector. Kingston is an instance of what indefatigable parochial visiting will do to keep together a flock long united to the Church by loyal and hereditary affection. May its worthy Rector long be spared to us to carry on the work which his father and grandfather so happily began.

On the 27th, I returned to Fredericton, having, by the blessing of God, travelled 1255 miles, confirmed 896 persons, and having had abundant evidence that our Church is on the whole at least holding her ground, laying her foundations deeper; and that whilst her clergy can claim no exemption from the infirmities and imperfections common to their brethren, they are, as a body, striving to do their duty in the responsible office to which God has called them. All men are not gifted alike; and the evils of a defective education are in no case more evident than in that of a clergyman; but an earnest desire to glorify God, to save souls, and to be consistent in our practice, and in the discharge of our ordination vows, will for the most part ensure a considerable measure of success, wherever there is not some great deficiency in judgment.

The Mission of our Church in this Province, appears to me to be a most important one, both as regards the laity and the clergy.

We have to prove ourselves the worthy successors of those noble and consistent men who sacrificed all their worldly prospects to what they believed to be their duty to their king and country, and brought with them an invariably strong attachment to the British Constitution in Church and State.

We have to prove ourselves the worthy descendants of those still nobler spirits who bequeathed to us the Reformation, whose efforts guaranteed to us freedom from persecution, from doctrinal corruption, and from the Roman yoke; and whose judgment and sagacity, aided by the assistance of wisdom from above, designed to reject only the evil and to retain only the good.

We have to prove ourselves worthy of the church which numbers among its members, a Ridley, a Leighton, a Hooker, a Taylor, a Pearson, a Kerr, a Wilberforce, and a Howard, and which now counts its clergy by hundreds and its laity by thousands, in every quarter of the globe We have to prove ourselves worthy of a church which rejoices in the circulation of the Scriptures because it acknowledges the Bible as its rule of faith; which clings to the decisions of primitive antiquity as the surest bulwark against ancient and modern heresy; which has nothing to fear but everything to hope from the progress of science and the spread of learning, and which desires nothing better than that its doctrines should be known, examined, and sifted.

We are to prove the sincerity of these convictions by trial; by our endurance of difficulty, by our patient and laborious perseverance, by our union at this particular emergency in the Missionary work, by our firm and united resolution, that whatever may fail, we will be true to the church and to each other, and will not under any change of circumstances, allow our missions to be deserted, our work and labor of love to fail, but will by the blessing of God, embrace all new openings of usefulness, and trust in the grace of His holy spirit and in the promises of His holy word, to crown all our endeavors with success and to make our Jerusalem a praise in the earth.

His Lordship concluded by moving "That the Report be received and printed under the direction of the Executive Committee."

The resolution was seconded by the Hon. Provincial Secretary, who remarked that after the report which had been read, and the very interesting speech and journal of the Lord Bishop, he did not feel it necessary to do more than second the resolution, which was unanimously adopted.

In moving the second resolution, the Rev. Dr. Gray said:—

I have great pleasure in moving, for the adoption of this meeting, a resolution which perfectly harmonizes with the spirit of the remarks to which we have just had the satisfaction to listen—viz. "that gratitude to Almighty God for his blessing upon this Society, and for many other undeserved mercies should be shewn by each member of our Church, by

increased zeal for its maintenance and extension." The resolution assumes, and very justly so, that the Divine blessing had rested upon this Society. It has now gone on for twenty-one years, and during that time has been steadily advancing in strength and influence. In the last ten years it has more than doubled its income; and in the past year, though war has made its demands upon us and commerce has been under a cloud, and wealthy men as well as poor men have been smitten with a panic, so far from yielding one iota, its income has risen from £1,300, to £1,500; and in this fact we have one palpable evidence that the blessing of God has rested upon it.

I do not mean to assert that *success*, apart from all other considerations, is the criterion of Divine favor, or that the want of success, apart from other considerations, is an evidence of Divine displeasure. A very *bad* cause may have *great success* for a time, and a very *good* cause may *want* success for a time. In matters of principle, therefore, christians are not to be governed by present results; they are to act upon principle and leave consequences to a higher Power. But, where we meet with success in a cause which we know to be a right one, there we are fully justified in tracing it to the Divine blessing. We know that it can proceed from no other source. We are assured that it emanates not merely from a *permissive*, but from a *favoring*, an *originating* Providence, and that our grateful acknowledgments are due to the great Father of Lights, from whom every good and every perfect gift descends.

But it is allowable, I conceive, on an occasion like the present, to look a little beyond the bounds of our own Diocese and of our own Diocesan Society, and to recognize the mercies of God upon our Church at large. We have indeed to thank Him, not merely for a blessing upon this Society, but for many other undeserved mercies. If any men on the face of the earth ought to be grateful to God, the members of the Church of England living under British rule are the men. (Applause.) With a duly constituted ministry, a scriptural Liturgy, and what lies at the basis of all our other privileges, an *unfettered Bible*, what have we to do but to bless God and go forward? And, it is our happiness to know at the present time, that, with His blessing, we *are* going forward. In the Mother-Country, the Church of England is wide awake; and is beginning, with great earnestness to make provision for the spiritual wants of the masses of the people. In her colonies and dependencies, her influence is every where extending, with a rapidity that leaves all former progress in the distance. Thirty-three years ago, she had only three Colonial Dioceses. Twenty-three years ago, she had only *five*. She has now *thirty-five*, that is, she has erected thirty new Dioceses in twenty-three years. And over what a vast expanse of Empire do these Dioceses extend! Where do they begin, and where do they end? It used to be said that upon the British Empire, the sun never set. We may now, with equal truth affirm, that it never sets upon the *British Church*. It shines upon her at the pillars of Hercules and at the gates of Hong Kong. It sheds its feeble gleams upon the Missionary Church, in the snowy regions of Baffin's Bay, and tints the Missionary flag on the bleak shores of the Falkland Isles. She has got a girdle round the Equator, and is making her way into the hearts of all the continents; and, notwithstanding all that has occurred in India, I don't think that the lofty Himmalayas will stop her, however it may shock the votaries of the Mahometan Mosque or the Hindoo temple. (Applause.)

Duty and *privilege* should go hand in hand. Gratitude for the mercies of God should be shewn, by increased zeal for the maintenance and extension of our Church, and of this Society, as its handmaid in our Diocese. It requires zealous exertion to keep up any good institution. It is comparatively easy to *begin* a good work, to organize a Society and set it going; but to *keep it going* from year to year—to sustain it when the novelty is gone, and when the *vis inertiæ* that cleaves to us so closely pleads for indulgence that is the difficulty. We want zeal for this. But *this* is not

enough. We must have zeal enough to extend our Society as well as to maintain it or else we fail in our duty. It won't do, in these days, merely to hold our own. It will not suffice to keep where we are. Everything around us is moving onward. Population is increasing: the facilities for reaching it are increasing: other Denominations are increasing. It will never do for our Church to stand still, to come to anchor and be satisfied with not drifting to leeward. No, we must move on too, and keep pace with the age, if we wish to fulfil our mission.

One remark more, I would wish to make before I sit down. We want to excite increased zeal in the members of our Church, to maintain and extend the influence of this Society. How are we to accomplish it? Impress them, says my resolution, with a sense of the mercies of God, and with the duty arising from the due appreciation of those mercies. Very true: this is one part of the process. But there is another, which is absolutely essential to our success; and that is the practically convincing men, that we are doing good to the souls of mankind; that we are bringing men to Christ, that we are "adding to God's Church daily, such as shall be saved." Let us work for a right *end*, the glory of God: let us work by right *means*, the pure Gospel of God; and let us work in a right *spirit*, the spirit of union and of simple dependance upon the grace of God; and then, fear not for our Church: fear not for our Society; she will lengthen her cords and strengthen her stakes and stretch forth the curtains of her habitations, until she comprehends within them a family of zealous supporters, large enough and strong enough, with the blessing of God, to meet the wants of the increasing population of our Province. (Applause.) But, O, I wish we could let in the summer breezes upon the Anniversary Meetings of the Society, instead of these wintry blasts, and then we should attain the objects we have in view, more speedily and efficiently than at present. (Applause.) The Rev. gentleman concluded by moving the Resolution.

The Hon. Attorney General rose and said he would simply second the Resolution, and not occupy the time of the meeting by making any remarks, for the speech they had just had the pleasure of listening to was so eloquent, and so powerful and interesting, that he felt that anything he might say would rather destroy the effect than be productive of any good. The Resolution was then put, and carried unanimously.

The Hon. John Hamilton Gray having been called upon to move the third Resolution, viz. "That the example set by our fellow Churchmen in Great Britain, in seeking to extend the Kingdom of Christ in India, and other heathen Countries, should stimulate us to more self-denying efforts for its advancement in the destitute places of this Province," spoke as follows:—The Resolution had special reference to India, and I would make a remark or two on the efforts now being made by England to restore her authority in that country, which was weakened by the revolt of the Sepoys. Our countrymen were always found foremost in the ranks, as soldiers of the Cross. The Cross was borne on the Englishmen's standard, and under the Cross they fought. Now why was India so prominently put forward in this Resolution? It was not a great many years ago that an English Missionary lost his life in that country. I did not prepare the Resolution I hold and am about to move: it has been placed in my hands. The Resolutions I am in the habit of drawing meet with a more fiery opposition than this was likely to meet with. But in moving this Resolution, I must beg leave to differ from an opinion that had gone abroad as to the cause of the mutiny in India. It had been said that it was a judgment upon England for her supineness, in not making greater efforts for the spread of the Christian religion in India. I do not think so. Let them look through the history of the world, and they would find that when God chose to punish a nation for its sins, vengeance did not fall on a few only —it was not a few families that were left to mourn, but the nation at large. Perhaps it is presumptuous for me to say what design Providence had in view, in permitting the late massacres in India; but the opinion I advance is in accordance with historical facts. I would refer to the host

led into the field by Sennacherib, when ninety thousand were cut off one night—to the utter destruction of Babylon—and to the punishment inflicted on a sinful world at the time of the deluge. I believe that the design of Providence, in permitting late events in India, is to convert the Hindoo to Christianity. England could not be said to hold possession of India until the year 1757, when the battle of Plassey was fought. And what took place then? Why, immediately after that battle was fought, and won by the English, a prophecy went forth through the land that England would hold sway one hundred years, and then her power would fail, and the Hindoo tribes regain their independence. This was generally believed. It was mixed up with their creed, and became a part of their belief. Now when the hundred years expired the British forces in India were never numerically weaker; the British soldiers had been withdrawn for other services. Every thing seemed to favor the idea that the prophecy would be fulfilled, and gave the Hindoo courage. If that prophecy had been fulfilled, there was nothing to prevent the extirpation of the Christian religion in India. But Providence willed it otherwise. The native soldiers, both Musselmans and Hindoos, took advantage of the weak state of the British forces in India, and deserted their colours. I will not go so far as to say that they were fully conquered, as yet, but the Christian soldiers had prevailed over them; and what was likely to be the result? The daring courage displayed by the British soldiers during the conflict, and not only by the soldiers, but even by the women and children, had taught the Hindoos their inferiority, and the fallacy of the prophecy on which they had so long relied. What question would now be first in the mouths of the Hindoos wherever they met? Rolling down from the Himmalaya mountains, over the wide valleys of the Ganges and the Indus, down to Cape Cormorin, and from every hill and vale, the cry would arise, "Our prophecy is overturned; our prophet was false; and the God of the Christians has triumphed over our gods!" And the answer would be returned resounding from Cape Cormorin, up to the Ganges and the Indus' mighty rivers, over the fortress of Benares, and back to the Himmalaya mountains, "Yes; the Christian's God has prevailed; he has overcome our gods and scattered our people." I believe that this would lead to the conversion of the Hindoos, and that although many valuable lives have been lost since the struggle commenced, every christian grave would produce its converts, and the wild followers of the Crescent will yield to the more splendid glory of the Cross, and kneel at the Christian's shrine.

I will only say a few words more. If England is exerting herself to spread the light of christianity over the darkest portion of the world, should not her sons, who worshipped at the same altar, exert themselves in behalf of their Church in this country? From the pleasing account of his travels read by the Lord Bishop they could see that the people were ready to receive clergymen, and to assist as far as lay in their power in erecting churches, and supporting the clergy. I refer to the parish of Canning as an instance of what could be done in a small community. Under these circumstances ought we to sit down and not exert ourselves? I have alluded to the overthrow of the prophecy in Hindostan, and the question that would be eagerly asked, and answered, when two natives of that country met; but when two Christians meet, what ought their language be, one to another? I cannot answer better than in the language of a celebrated divine and poet:—

"Shall we, whose souls are lighted
By wisdom from on high,
Shall we to man benighted
The light of life deny?
Salvation! O! Salvation!
The joyful sound proclaim,
Till earth's remotest nation
Has learned Messiah's name.
Waft, waft, ye winds, the story,
And you, ye waters, roll,
Till like a sea of glory,
It spreads from pole to pole."

(Applause.)

The Rev. Philip W. Loosemore rose and said:

May it please Your Excellency—Ladies and Gentlemen,—The Resolution which I have the honor of seconding is as follows: "That the example set by our fellow-Churchmen in Great Britain, in seeking to extend the kingdom of Christ in India and other heathen lands, should stimulate us to more self-denying efforts for its advancement in the destitute places of this Diocese." There is an advantage which the seconder of a Resolution sometimes enjoys, which I am sure you will all agree with me is my advantage to night, and that is, that the mover of the Resolution so ably includes in his speech all that has to be said with reference to the Resolution, that he makes the task of the seconder comparatively light and easy. And after the eloquent speeches, to which we have listened with so much attention to-night, and after the stirring appeals which have been made to us, it would ill become me, as it would be unnecessary for me, to occupy your attention long at this somewhat advanced hour of the evening. And although I might rather be a listener than a speaker on the present occasion, I should consider myself unworthy of carrying the colours or fighting under the banner of the Church Society, if I were unwilling to stand forward in its support. For you may naturally expect that we, whose special business it is to advance in a practical manner the cause of the Society, should be willing to offer a few remarks on its behalf on an occasion like the present.

And if, ladies and gentlemen, you are not satisfied with that which I shall raise upon the foundation of the Resolution, you may nevertheless stand upon the foundation and carry the Resolution unanimously. If the tone of our remarks at any time, either in speech or in Report, should seem to be that of sounding our own praises, or acting as our own trumpeters, we must ask you to remember, that one year's experience in the ministry is enough to show sufficient wholesome opposition, disappointment, and discouragement, to prevent our being "exalted above measure." If we seem to be saying, "we have done this," or "we have done that," it is simply that you may be persuaded that there is an endeavour at least that the funds of the Society shall not be altogether uselessly expended.

Now the Resolution refers to "the destitute places of this Diocese," and exherts us to supply the need by "the example of our fellow-Churchmen in Great Britain in seeking to extend the kingdom of Christ in India and other heathen lands."

Any one coming from "the old country," where there are old and time-honoured institutions, where there are men and means in greater abundance, must be prepared not to find everything in a new country ready made to his hands; but must be satisfied if he finds the material upon which to work. The circumstances of a new country, the scattered nature of her population, the extensive district assigned to each individual clergyman, present peculiar difficulties with which we have to combat. But there is a maxim which here comes to our aid, that "whatever is correct in principle must be successful in operation." If we are unable to give "the whole loaf" of the Church in every part of the diocese, we can at least supply "half a loaf," and "half a loaf is better than no bread" thereof. If we are unable to open all the churches in the diocese for Divine worship on the Sunday, at least we may open as many as possible. If we are unable to supply the outskirts and destitute places of the diocese with Sunday services, at least we can give them week-day services. And here, although liable to the charge of repeating what I have mentioned in the Report, I beg to bear my testimony to the usefulness of holding week-day services where the Sunday services cannot be held.

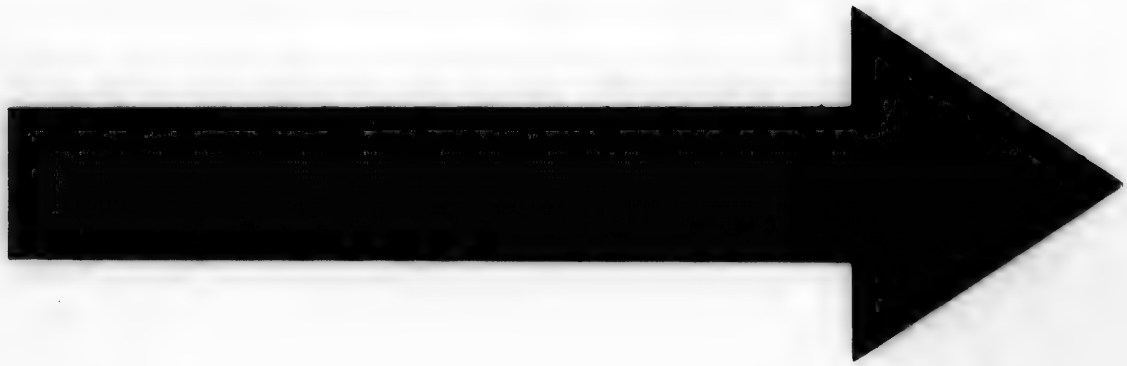
In a back settlement, i[illegible]ote little corner of this diocese, there assembles a congregation [illegible] forty persons once a fortnight on Wednesday mornings. When [illegible] service was first held in this place, two years ago, there was only one Prayer-book to be found among the whole of the congregation, and that was the one which the clergyman himself

used. There was no response from the people, and so the clergyman was compelled to take the whole of the service from beginning to end, including those parts which belong to the people. And now, by a multiplication of Prayer-books, there are many to be seen in the hands of the people, and an audible and a hearty response comes from their lips, and we trust also from their hearts. So that now we should not be at all ashamed if some of the good people of Fredericton should happen to be present during the celebration of Divine serv

Doubtless there are ma[illegible]ymen in this diocese who could furnish a similar testimony. And [illegible] interesting and important account which we have heard from his Lordship this evening, I forbear entering further into detail, but pass at once to the second part of the Resolution, which refers to "the extension of the kingdom of Christ in India and other heathen lands."

Time would fail to give anything like an adequate or a systematic account of the openings now presented in heathen countries; for there is now "a stirring among the dry bones"—there is a cry from the men of the "Macedonia" of India—there is a cry from the men of the "Macedonia" of Southern Africa: "Come over and help us." There is an evidence of the vitality of the Church of England, unparalleled by anything in former times, in the extension of her colonial episcopate. Let us bring under review some of the grand labours of that noble body, the bench of colonial Bishops. Consider the apostolic labours of the Bishop of New Zealand amongst the islanders of the Southern Sea. Remember the subdivision of the diocese of Capetown into those of Capetown, Grahamstown, and Natal. Call to mind the self-denying labours of the late lamented Lord Bishop of Grahamstown, who, in a tour which cost him his life, established missions in all parts of his diocese, and found the Kaffir chiefs favourable to the reception of the missionaries; who, to use his own words, went "over rough places and smooth, through rivers and across mountains—holding Divine service, sometimes under the shade of a mimosa thorn, sometimes in a rude thatched hut, sometimes in a court-house, and sometimes in a comely church." Let there be heard in this room to-night another voice from across the same waters, from an indefatigable missionary of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, in Kaffirland, who says—"What shall I say, or what shall I do? The mission-field seems boundless; the skirts of every mountain and the banks of every river, are crowded with living souls, without any one to point the way!" The late lamented Bishop wrote home to the Society, stating that he must have £1,500 at once, and £4,000 a year for some years to come, in order to meet a grant to the Church of England made by the Governor of the colony, Sir George Grey. And these sums the venerable Society nobly guaranteed to supply; so that if the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel is gradually withdrawing its aid from this diocese, I ask, "Is there not a cause?"

And here let us turn to India; for upon almost every platform, and in almost every speech, India is now the theme. With reference to India, let us ask, why is the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel withdrawing its long-granted aid from this diocese? Is it because it does not consider the object of the Diocesan Church Society to be of equal importance with its own object? Is it because it does not acknowledge the object of each Society to be one and the same—the establishment of the kingdom of Christ in the hearts and homes of the human population? Surely not! But it is, ladies and gentlemen, that "the blood of the martyrs" of Delhi may be "the seed of the Church" in that dark and dismal city! It is, that the members of the Church of England may erect a monument of Christianity in the shape of a Christian church upon the ruins of Cawnpore! It is, that the generals of the army of the Lord of hosts may rush in and occupy the ground which the generals of the warfare of this world have so gallantly defended and so nobly maintained! It is, that "coals of fire may be heaped on the head" of the heartless mutineer, by way of a holy revenge! It is, that the mild rule of the cross may take the place



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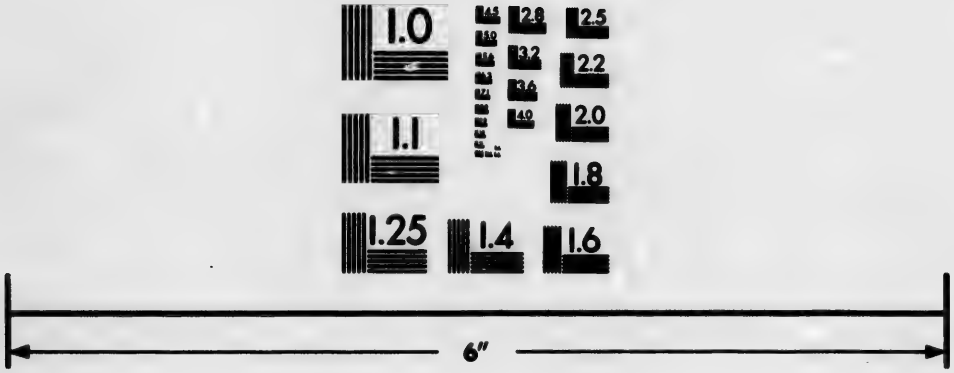

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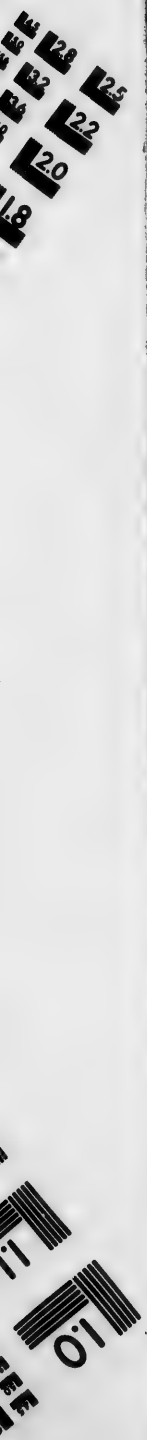
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of the barbarous rule of the crescent! It is, ladies and gentlemen, if you will, to counteract that morbid fault-finding, about England's past neglect, which is on the minds and in the mouths of so many at the present day!

And if the Churchmen of New Brunswick are not satisfied with this argument; if upon these grounds they are not willing to come forward and meet the crisis which is at hand, and rise to a sense of the emergency which is before us, we have no other argument by which either to encourage or to persuade. But let them know, that in proportion as they now come forward and fill up the void which is being made by the withdrawal of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, in that proportion will they be contributing to plant missions in heathen countries—in that proportion will they be contributing to send missionaries to stand in the forefront of the battle, and storm the strongholds of Satan in those "dark places of the earth which are full of the habitations of cruelty."

But now to come down, in conclusion, to our own sphere of labour in the diocese of Fredericton. Let us look at the *past* of the Church Society, and trace its history down to the present—from the time that a few zealous men met together to consult for the well-being of the Church in this diocese, to the present time, when in cathedral, and in other churches dotted all over the diocese, there are worshipping congregations; and then let us mark the success which has crowned its labours; and then add, that it is "not by human might, not by mortal power, but by the Spirit of the living God." And at the same time bear in mind, that all that has been done is but a leaf in the forest of necessity—but a drop in the ocean of want! For "Charity," ladies and gentlemen, we do not deny, "*begins* at home;" but it does not *end* there. Charity must begin in our own parishes; but it must take a wider circle, and embrace the whole diocese; and *genuine* charity will not be satisfied until it sends out such a comprehensive circle as shall take in the uttermost parts of the earth! Then look at the *future* of the Church Society, and go forward in the confidence that "if this counsel or this work be of men it will come to nought; but if it be of God we cannot overthrow it."

And would that all might remember, that as far as the great cause of the Church Society itself is concerned, it really matters not whether we assist or forbear; but that as far as we are each individually concerned, it is of momentous importance whether we put our shoulder to the wheel or not; for as has been well said, "The pure stream of the water of life, pouring forth its healing influences in the east and in the west, in the north and in the south, will not stop merely because of a few jutting crags; the triumphant chariot of the Gospel will not cease to roll merely because a few pebbles are in its way."

With these remarks, may it please Your Excellency, I have the honour of seconding the Resolution.

G. D. Street, Esquire, of St. Andrews, moved the fourth Resolution. After the eloquent speeches we have listened to, it is not necessary for me to say much. India has been happily alluded to, that land of the sun, and brightest gem of the British Crown. Late events have brought that land more prominently before the Christian public. But I will not harrow the minds of this audience by dwelling upon the deeds of blood recently perpetrated in India: all have heard and read of the massacre at Cawnpore, the gallant defence at Lucknow, and other deeds but little less remarkable. I will not attempt to detail these atrocities. We are remote from the scene, but in England the people were more interested because their friends and relatives were among the sufferers, and among the soldiers who so gallantly met and repulsed the enemy, and the English people viewed it as a call upon them for increased exertions to convert the natives of India to christianity. India, I believe, contains about 180,000,000 inhabitants, and of this vast multitude only about 1,000,000 were christians; when we think of their horrid crimes, therefore, we should recollect that they are heathens, not christians, and under the influence of evil passions, without restraint. They were criminals, lacking a knowledge of God.

But we need not go beyond the boundaries of our Province to find the records of a murder, committed a short time ago, equal in atrocity to the Indian massacres, and that committed within a few miles of the commercial emporium of the Province. Previous to that murder would any one have believed that there were men living among us capable of committing such a fiendish act! And yet it had been fully proved. A thirst for gold had led to the destruction of its owner, and of his unoffending wife and children. The murder was deliberately planned, and was as dark and relentlessly executed as any murder committed by the revolted Sepoys. This I consider a strong proof that increased exertions are necessary to instruct ignorant people in our own Province. Uneducated and ignorant men often yield to temptation, and commit crimes, that the educated man and christian looked upon with horror. The Resolution I am about to move asserts that increased exertions are necessary, and I think that all present will assent to it. At that late hour, and after the eloquent speeches we have heard, I will not trespass longer upon your time, but I hope that those present, one and all, will increase their exertions in behalf of the objects the Society had in view, and that their exertions may be the means of spreading the knowledge of the truth. (Applause.) Mr. Street concluded by moving the Resolution, viz.: "That many events of the past year points to the necessity of increased exertion for the spread of the knowledge of the truth—a work which this Society desires more fully to carry out."

S. R. Thomson, Esquire, on rising to second this Resolution, spoke as follows:—

Under ordinary circumstances it was not required that seconders of resolutions should speak at much length, and in this instance, the able speech of the learned gentleman (Mr. Street) who had just sat down, has rendered any observations from me on the subject of the Resolution almost unnecessary.

The Resolution points to the occurrence of recent events throughout the world, as an inducement to renewed efforts on our parts as Christians and members of this Society. In the varied picture presented by these events, India unquestionably stood with melancholy prominence in the foreground. To the events which had recently occurred in that unhappy land, I cannot now do more than allude: they had been touched upon by several eloquent gentlemen who have preceded me, and were of too harrowing a nature not to be painfully impressed upon the memory of all who hear me. But I feel compelled to dissent from the view taken of those events by one eloquent and learned gentleman, (hon. Mr. Gray) who had spoken that evening. That gentleman has stated that he did not look upon the recent Indian outrages in the light of a national punishment. I believe otherwise. The learned gentleman has alluded to the total destruction of Ninevah and Babylon in support of his view, that when God punishes nations, He does so awfully and completely. He has overlooked the fact that those guilty cities had received repeated warnings before final destruction overtook them. The voice of the prophet had been heard sounding in their streets before the handwriting of the Almighty was seen flaming on the wall.

England also, I believe, has received her warnings, but unlike the doomed cities of old, she has attended to them. Recent events in India were intended as a warning to her, and I hope she will so regard them.

Like Israel of old, I believe our nation to be God's most favored one, His great instrument with which to evangelize the world. But unhappily like Israel, England had but too often been guilty of backsliding. To the glowing account often given in sacred writ, of the zeal of Israel and her Kings, for the Lord, how frequently was to be found the melancholy addition "but for all this the high places were not taken away." So I fear it was with England—she undoubtedly has made wonderful missionary efforts as well in India as elsewhere throughout the world, But when we remembered that she has from motives of mere expediency, not only cautiously

abstained from interfering with, or putting down the most revolting rites of Indian idolatry, but had even sanctioned some of them by the presence of her soldiery, we might well look upon the recent outbreak as a warning and a judgment.

To the gratifying record of England's evangelical career in the East, the words of the Jewish historian would, I fear, be not improperly appended, "that for all this the high places were not taken away." She had, I believe, hitherto sacrificed too much of principle to her fancied commercial interest in the East; but I hope that recent events there will convince her of the folly of such a course—will arouse her to a sense both of her danger during the past and of her duty for the future.

I should apologise for thus far trespassing on the attention of the meeting with reference to this subject; but I felt that the remarks of my honorable friend called for these observations, and as a member of the Society I was bound to make them.

The necessity for increased exertion on the part of the members of the Society is apparent, and I have no doubt that that exertion will be made.

By the last Annual Report, I see that the Society has been just twenty one years in existence. In fact, it has just, if I may use the term, *attained its majority;* and the Parent Society in the mother country, treating it as no longer a minor unable to take care of itself, was about to withdraw its support, and with affectionate confidence leave it to manage for itself. I have no doubt that this Society will meet the emergency, and reflect no discredit on the confidence reposed in it by its venerable parent—that it would go on, and, with the blessing of God, prosper.

During a year of unprecedented commercial depression, the funds of the Society have increased; and I have no fear for the future. For the advancement of science, and the spread of commerce, no exertions are deemed too great. Should earnest exertion in the cause of Christ be alone wanting? Certainly not. The wonderful efforts of the commercial world to connect together distant ends of the earth by the wires of the telegraph, and the launching of such floating arks as the Leviathan, should stimulate us to be up and doing; the more especially, when we reflect that these efforts, by bringing nations into familiar intercourse with each other, will probably, under Providence, be the means of hastening the period so anxiously desired by all Christians, when the sword and the spear should forever give place to the ploughshare and the pruning hook. Whilst we might well be proud of the fact that such speci[illegible] of human skill as the Leviathan existed, we should, as Christians, n[illegible] forget that a greater ark than the Leviathan is afloat—one in whic[illegible] have an interest too deep to be over-estimated—the Ark of Christ's Church. It was an ark whose keel had ridden for ages upon waves more tempestuous than those of the Pacific or the Atlantic—the waves of this troublesome world; and would continue to ride on safely to the end, drawing together different nations, kindreds, and tongues, and uniting them by ties of holy love and brotherhood—ties not easily sundered even in this world, and which, in the world beyond the grave, can never be dissolved. With these observations I have the honour of seconding the Resolution. (Much applause.)

John C. Allen, Esq., in rising to move the fifth Resolution, thanking the Officers of the Society for their services, observed that the Resolution itself expressed almost all he could say upon the subject. The Secretary's duties were very arduous, and the Treasurer's office one of great responsibility, and yet these officers had performed their respective duties cheerfully. After all the eloquent speeches they had listened to, he thought it would be presumption in him to take up the time of the meeting any longer; he would therefore content himself with simply moving the Resolution—

"That the thanks of this meeting be tendered to the Officers of the Society, for their services during the past year. And further, that the following gentlemen be the Officers of the same for the current year:—W. J. Bedell, *Treasurer;* Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, M. A., *Secretary;* George D. Robinson and W. Henry Scovil, *Auditors.* And that the following

gentlemen do compose the Executive Committee:—W. Wright, R. F. Hazen, W. Jack, J. Fairweather, J. V. Thurgar, W. Carman, E. Simonds, L. H. DeVeber, Dr. Robb, J. Wilkinson, T. W. Daniel, J. C. Allen, J. W. Weldon, Hon. J. A. Street, W. Ellman, I. Raymond, G. D. Street, G. J. Dibblee, S. R. Thomson, J. V. Toldervy, M. D., J. M. Robinson, George Roberts, S. D. Berton, and R. S. Armstrong.

The Rev. Dr. Gray gave notice, that at the next meeting of the Society, to be held in Saint John, he should move for the time of the annual meeting to be changed to the Thursday next after the second Tuesday in July.

Mr. Thomson also gave notice of a motion somewhat similar.

His Excellency then left the Chair, which, on motion of the Honorable the Master of the Rolls, was taken by the Lord Bishop. It was then moved and seconded, that the most hearty thanks of the Society be given His Excellency for the kind and courteous manner in which he had presided. This was carried by acclamation. His Lordship then, in tendering His Excellency the thanks of the meeting, expressed a wish that he might long remain among us, that the Society might have the benefit of his kind assistance and example.

His Excellency, in reply, thanked the meeting for the kindness with which he had been received, and said he was always happy to contribute what little aid was in his power towards the welfare and prosperity of the Society. This evening had been to him one of unmixed pleasure. He was pleased with what he heard, and gratified to find that the Society was prospering. Let them go on and exert themselves, and if they occasionally found obstacles in their path, let them remember, that where there even no difficulties to be encountered, there was very little triumph to be gained.

The Doxology was then sung, in which all present heartily joined, and the proceedings terminated, by the Lord Bishop pronouncing the benediction.

RESOLUTION OF THE SOCIETY.

That all future Grants by this Society, for any purpose, may be re-appropriated as the Society shall think fit, if not claimed within three years from the date of the respective grants. (5th Report, page 8.)

RESOLUTIONS OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE.

That the title to all Churches, towards the erection or completion of which any grant is made from the funds of this Society, be vested either in the Church Corporation of the Parish in which such Church is situated, or in some party or parties in trust to convey the site, as soon as practicable, of such Church to the Church Corporation as soon as the same may be legally constituted. (14th Report, page 24.)

That no grants from this Committee, subject to conditions, be paid until an order is issued from the Executive Committee, who will previously ascertain that the conditions of the grants have been fulfilled. (17th Report, page 21.)

That no application for grants shall be considered, which is not made on the first day of the meeting of the General Committee, or previously. (18th Report, page 24.)

That each Missionary receiving a salary from this Society, be requested to make an annual return to the Secretary, to be handed in by him at the first meeting of the General Committee, as follows, viz:

The number of Churches under his charge.

The number of weekly or other stated services held in such Churches or stations.

The number of Communicants.

The average number of attendants.

The amount contributed in each Parish towards the support of such missionary. (19th Report, page 24.)

That the Secretary be requested to write to the several Local Committees, asking for their opinion with reference to a change in the season for holding the Anniversary Meetings of the Society. (22d Report, page 32.)

RESOLUTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

That the Clergy be respectfully requested to pay to the Treasurer the amount of the semi-annual Collection by or before the 30th day of June and the 31st day of October respectively. (20th Report, page 22.)

☞ The Secretary regrets that he did not receive the subscription list from the Parish of St. James, in time to have the name of William Wright, Esquire, D. C. L., inserted among the list of Life Members (page 51.)

The Bishop requests the Clergy to be so good as to preach the Sermons for the Church Society in June and October; and, if possible, not to delay the second Sermon to the latter part of the month, as the weather is often unfavourable to a Collection.